

Video *Communication* *System*

Operating Instructions

Before operating the unit, please read this manual thoroughly and retain it for future reference.

PCS-1/1P



Owner's Record

The model and the serial numbers are located at the bottom. Record the serial number in the space provided below. Refer to these numbers whenever you call upon your Sony dealer regarding this product.

Model No. PCS-1/1P

Serial No. _____

WARNING

To prevent fire or shock hazard, do not expose the unit to rain or moisture.

To avoid electrical shock, do not open the cabinet. Refer servicing to qualified personnel only.

WARNING

This unit has no power switch.

When installing the unit, incorporate a readily accessible disconnect device in the fixed wiring, or connect the power cord to socket-outlet which must be provided near the unit and easily accessible.

If a fault should occur during operation of the unit, operate the disconnect device to switch the power supply off, or disconnect the power cord.

IMPORTANT

The nameplate is located on the bottom.

For the customers in the USA

WARNING

Using this unit at a voltage other than 120 V may require the use of a different line cord or attachment plug, or both. To reduce the risk of fire or electric shock, refer servicing to qualified service personnel.

This device complies with Part 15 of the FCC Rules.

Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) This device may not cause harmful interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class A digital device, pursuant to Part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference when the equipment is operated in a commercial environment. This equipment generates, uses and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instruction manual, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. Operation of this equipment in a residential area is likely to cause harmful interference in which case the user will be required to correct the interference at his own expense.

You are cautioned that any changes or modifications not expressly approved in this manual could void your authority to operate this equipment.

The shielded interface cable recommended in this manual must be used with this equipment in order to comply with the limits for a computing device pursuant to Subpart B of Part 15 of FCC Rules.

This manual focuses on using ISDN lines to conduct a videoconference, but it also covers non-ISDN lines. If you use ISDN lines, consult your Sony dealer for more information.

- The ISDN service may not be available in some areas.

Voor de klanten in Nederland

Dit apparaat bevat een vast ingebouwde batterij die niet vervangen hoeft te worden tijdens de levensduur van het apparaat.

Raadpleeg uw leverancier indien de batterij toch vervangen moet worden.
De batterij mag alleen vervangen worden door vakbekwaam servicepersoneel.

Gooi de batterij niet weg maar lever deze in als klein chemisch afval (KCA).

Lever het apparaat aan het einde van de levensduur in voor recycling, de batterij zal dan op correcte wijze verwerkt worden.



If you dispose the unit, consult your nearest Sony Service Center. The built-in battery must be treated as a chemical waste.

For the customers in Canada

This Class A digital apparatus complies with Canadian ICES-003.

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Chapter 1: Installation and Preparation

Using This Manual

The chapters cover the following contents; please read the chapters that may be required for your type of videoconference.

Chapter 1: Installation and Preparation

This chapter guides you through the system configuration and information required to use your Video Communication System for the first time. It shows you how to install and connect your Video Communication System, to turn the system on/off and how to access basic on-screen menus.

Chapter 2: Registration and Setup for System Administrator

This chapter describes how to register and set up all the necessary items for system administrators, using the on-screen menus.

Chapter 3: Daily Videoconference

This chapter guides you through the basic operations and settings to conduct a videoconference. You will learn how to conduct a conference from start to finish. It is recommended that this chapter be read by participants in the videoconference.

Chapter 4: Videoconference With Optional Equipment

This chapter shows advanced videoconferencing using the optional equipment.

Chapter 5: Data Conference

This chapter shows you how to use the data from a computer for the conference by using the optional Data Solution Box.

Chapter 6: Videoconference Using a Whiteboard

This chapter shows how to use a whiteboard with the mimio Xi* attached for a videoconference.

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Chapter 7: Multipoint Videoconference

This chapter shows you how to use the Video Communication System to hold a multipoint videoconference.

You need to install MCU software in this System for a multipoint videoconference.

Appendix

This chapter contains description of the controls and connectors on the components of the Video Communication System, message and troubleshooting lists, specifications and glossaries.

Features

The PCS-1/1P Video Communication System is a videoconferencing system that provides natural, face-to-face communications with a remote party by transmitting and receiving images and sound via LAN (Local Area Network) or ISDN (Integrated Services Digital Network) connections.

Supports ITU-T international videoconferencing standard

The Video Communication System complies with ITU-T Recommendations defined by WTSC for easy connection with remote parties overseas.

ITU: International Telecommunication Union

WTSC: World Telecommunications Standardization Committee

Supports data conferences

Use of the optional PCS-DSB1 Data Solution Box allows the data from a personal computer to be incorporated in the presentation or to be shown on the projector.

Versatile use with a variety of display units

The Video Communication System is compact size, allowing easy installation on a TV. The camera and the Communication Terminal can be separately installed, allowing for greater flexibility when using a large-size plasma display, projector screen, etc.

High transmission speeds and high-quality picture capability

The Video Communication System accepts a LAN bandwidth of up to 1920 Kbps. It also allows connection to as many as six ISDN lines; 12B channels usable by using the optional PCS-B768 ISDN Unit.

Wide range of video/audio compression format selectable

The Video Communication System supports MPEG4, H.263+, H.263 and H.261 for video compression format, and MPEG4 Audio, G.722.1, G.722, G.729, G.728, G.723.1, G.711 for audio compression format. You can choose whether priority is given to video or audio depending on the type of conference or video/audio equipment used by a remote party.

QoS (Quality of Service) function for optimization of bandwidth and traffic packet through network

“Packet Resend Request” and “Adaptive Rate Control” functions incorporated, allowing solution for busy network traffic or packet loss, which provides consistent high-quality communication.

Easy setup and operation

The Help menu appears on the monitor screen for guidance of operation. The menus used for the system administrator or those for conference participants are separately displayed.

Supports multipoint conference

Installing the optional PCS-323M1 H.323 MCU software (for LAN) or the PCS-320M1 H.320 MCU software (for ISDN) allows conduct of a multipoint conference.

Memory Stick slot equipped

The Communication Terminal is equipped with a Memory Stick slot, allowing the use of still images recorded with a digital still camera and stored in the “Memory Stick”.

Dual monitor system

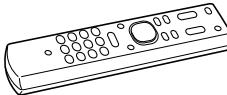
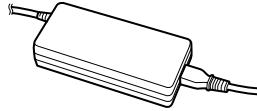
Two monitors can be connected to the Communication Terminal, enabling the use of one monitor for motion pictures, and the other monitor for pictures from a computer or still images.

System Components

The PCS-1/1P Video Communication System is composed of basic system components for a basic videoconference, and optional equipment for an enhanced videoconference.

Basic System Components

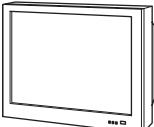
The PCS-1/1P Video Communication System is the basic system of the PCS-1/1P Videoconferencing System. It contains the following components:

Unit	Description
PCS-P1/P1P Communication Terminal	Contains the video codec, audio codec, echo canceler, network interfaces and system controller. 
PCS-C1/C1P Camera Unit	Composed of the camera and an integrated microphone. 
PCS-R1 Remote Commander	Used to operate the Communication Terminal and Camera Unit. 
PCS-AC195 AC adaptor	Supplies power to the Communication Terminal. 

Optional Equipment

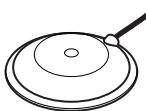
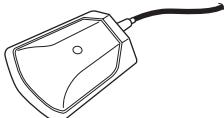
TV monitor

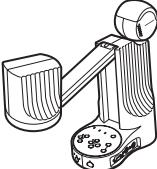
A TV or projector, etc. is required to monitor the images for videoconferencing system.

Unit	Description
TV, Projector, etc. 	Used as a monitor and speakers.

Optional equipment especially designed for use with the PCS-1/1P

The following optional devices are used to enhance your videoconference.

Unit	Description
PCS-B768 ISDN Unit 	Used to connect to an ISDN line. Up to six ISDN lines; 12B channels usable.
PCS-DSB1 Data Solution Box 	Use of this device allows easy connection with a computer or projector for a data conference.
PCS-A1 Microphone 	Omni-directional microphone that picks up sound relatively from all directions, allowing participants to speak from any location. It is recommended to use in a quiet situation.
PCS-A300 Microphone 	Unidirectional microphone. It is recommended when you want to pick up the voice of a speaker directed toward the microphone.

Unit	Description
PCS-DS150/DS150P Document Stand 	Allows transmission of pictures to the Communication Terminal by infrared signals without connecting a cable.
PCS-323M1 H.323 MCU Software	Allows use for a multipoint videoconference over LAN connection.
PCS-320M1 H.320 MCU Software	Allows use for a multipoint videoconference over ISDN connection.

Connecting cables

Use the following connecting cables to connect devices in this system.

PCS-1/1P Video Communication System

Cable	Part No.	Number
Camera cable (0.25 m (0.8 feet))	1-827-376-11	1
S-video connecting cable (1.5 m (4.9 feet))	1-776-078-42	1
Audio connecting cable (1 m (3.3 feet))	1-765-258-31	1

Camera cable



S-video connecting cable



Audio connecting cable



System Configuration

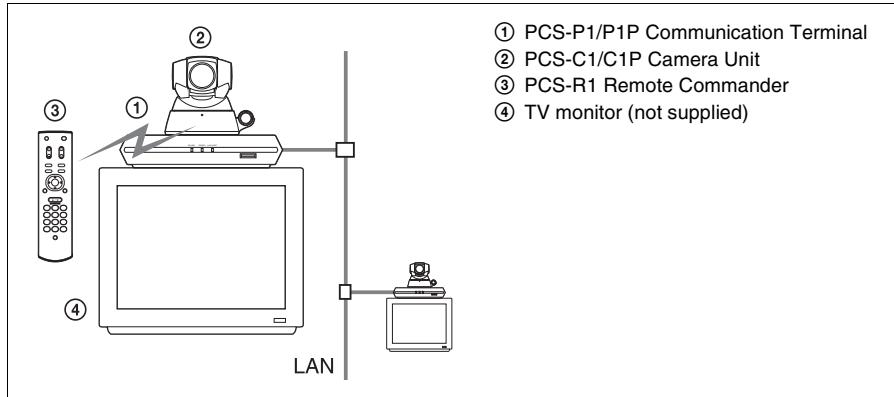
The PCS-1/1P Video Communication System has various system configuration capabilities using the basic components and optional equipment. This section describes six typical examples.

System Configuration via a LAN

This allows you:

- To hold a point-to-point videoconference over LAN.
- To show still images stored in a “Memory Stick”.

System configuration



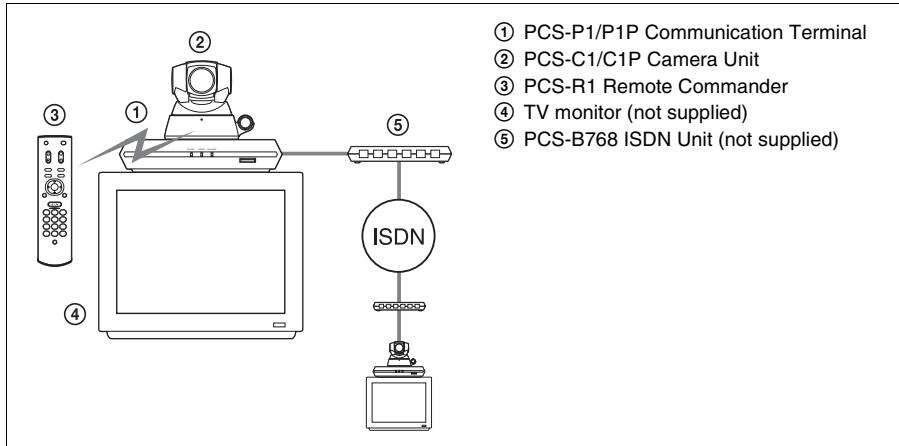
System Configuration via an ISDN

Connection to ISDN is required to use the PCS-B768 ISDN Unit especially designed for use with this system.

This allows you:

- To hold a point-to-point videoconference over ISDN.
- To show still images stored in a “Memory Stick”.
- To hold a videoconference with high speeds and highest quality image transmission by connecting up to six ISDN lines.

System configuration



About the number of ISDN lines and B (bearer) channel

Up to six ISDN lines can be connected to one PCS-1/1P via the optional PCS-B768 ISDN Unit. Each ISDN line is composed of two B channels that carry data signals on the ISDN interface, enabling both channels to be used for one ISDN line connection (2B connection), or each for a separate ISDN line connection (1B connection). The more channels you use for a single communication, the faster speeds and higher-quality picture you can obtain for your network communication. You can connect up to six ISDN lines with the PCS-1/1P and select the number of channels used for a single communication among from 1B, 2B, 3B, 4B, 5B, 6B, 8B and 12B connections.

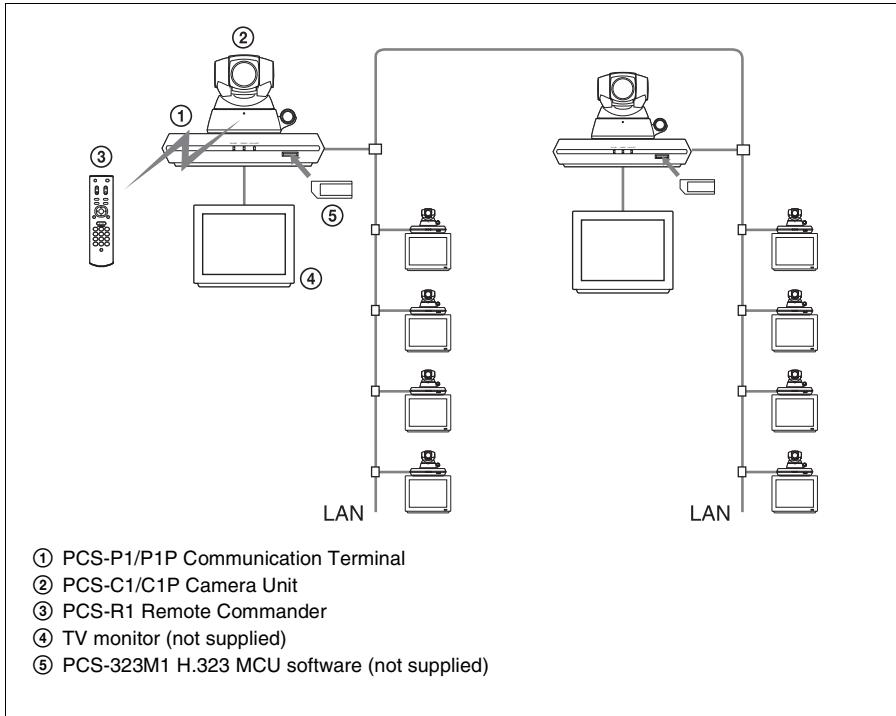
System Configuration via a LAN for Multipoint Conference

You need to install the optional PCS-323M1 H.323 MCU software.

This allows you:

- To hold a multipoint videoconference among up to ten sites over LAN.
- To show still images stored in a “Memory Stick”.
- To show the still images on the second TV monitor or projector.
- To pick up a large number of participants’ voices using up to two external microphones.

System configuration



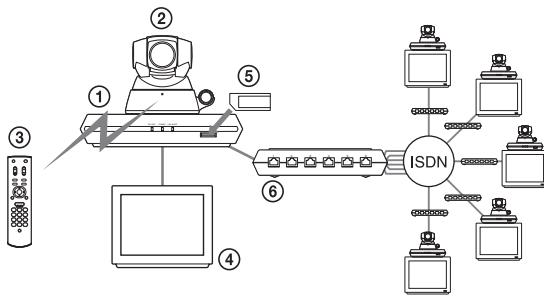
System Configuration via an ISDN for Multipoint Conference

You need to connect the optional PCS-B768 ISDN Unit especially designed for use with this System and to install the optional PCS-320M1 H.320 MCU software.

This allows you:

- To hold a multipoint videoconference among up to six sites over ISDN.
- To show still images stored in a “Memory Stick”.
- To show the still images on the second TV monitor or projector.
- To pick up a large number of participants’ voices using up to two external microphones.

System configuration



- ① PCS-P1/P1P Communication Terminal
- ② PCS-C1/C1P Camera Unit
- ③ PCS-R1 Remote Commander
- ④ TV monitor (not supplied)
- ⑤ PCS-320M1 H.320 MCU software (not supplied)
- ⑥ PCS-B768 ISDN Unit (not supplied)

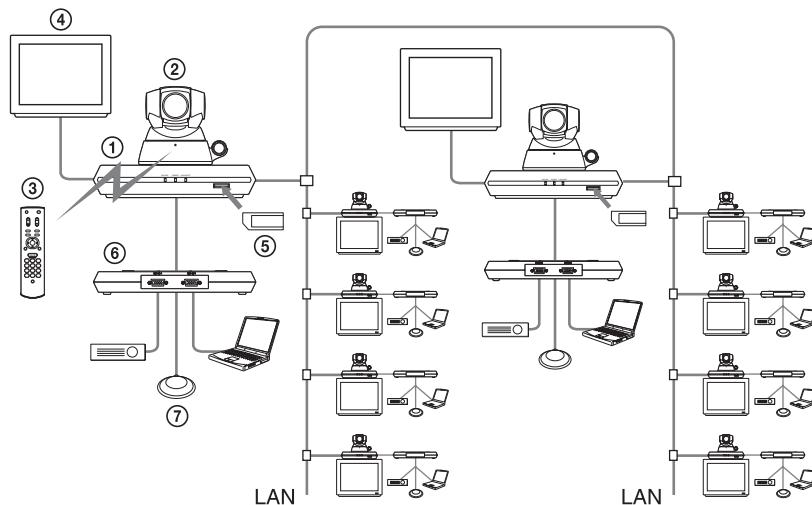
System Configuration via a LAN for Multipoint Data Conference

You need to connect the optional PCS-DSB1 Data Solution Box especially designed to use with this System and to install the optional PCS-323M1 H.323 MCU software.

This allows you:

- To hold a multipoint videoconference among up to ten sites over LAN.
- To show still images stored in a “Memory Stick”.
- To use the data from a computer or external equipment.
- To show the data from a computer or still images on the second TV monitor or projector.
- To pick up a large number of participants’ voices using up to five external microphones.

System configuration



- ① PCS-P1/P1P Communication Terminal
- ② PCS-C1/C1P Camera Unit
- ③ PCS-R1 Remote Commander
- ④ TV monitor (not supplied)
- ⑤ PCS-323M1 H.323 MCU software (not supplied)
- ⑥ PCS-DSB1 Data Solution Box (not supplied)
- ⑦ PCS-A1 Microphone (not supplied)

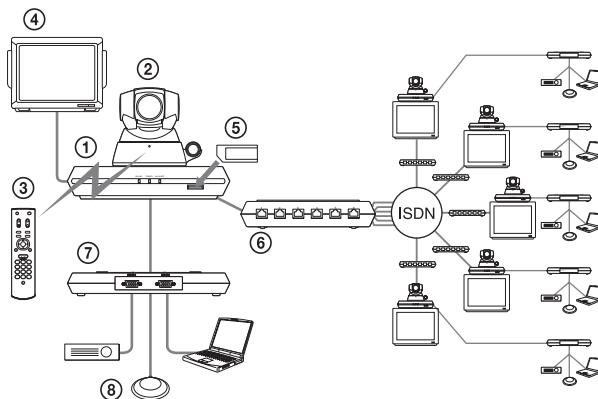
System Configuration via an ISDN for Multipoint Data Conference

You need to connect the optional PCS-B768 ISDN Unit and the PCS-DSB1 Data Solution Box especially designed for use with this System and to install the optional PCS-320M1 H.320 MCU software.

This allows you:

- To hold a multipoint videoconference among up to six sites over ISDN.
- To show still images stored in a “Memory Stick”.
- To use the data from a computer or an external equipment.
- To show the data from a computer or still images on the second TV monitor or projector.
- To pick up a large number of participants’ voices using up to five external microphones.

System configuration



- ① PCS-P1/P1P Communication Terminal
- ② PCS-C1/C1P Camera Unit
- ③ PCS-R1 Remote Commander
- ④ TV monitor (not supplied)
- ⑤ PCS-320M1 H.320 MCU software (not supplied)
- ⑥ PCS-B768 ISDN Unit (not supplied)
- ⑦ PCS-DSB1 Data Solution Box (not supplied)
- ⑧ PCS-A1 Microphone (not supplied)

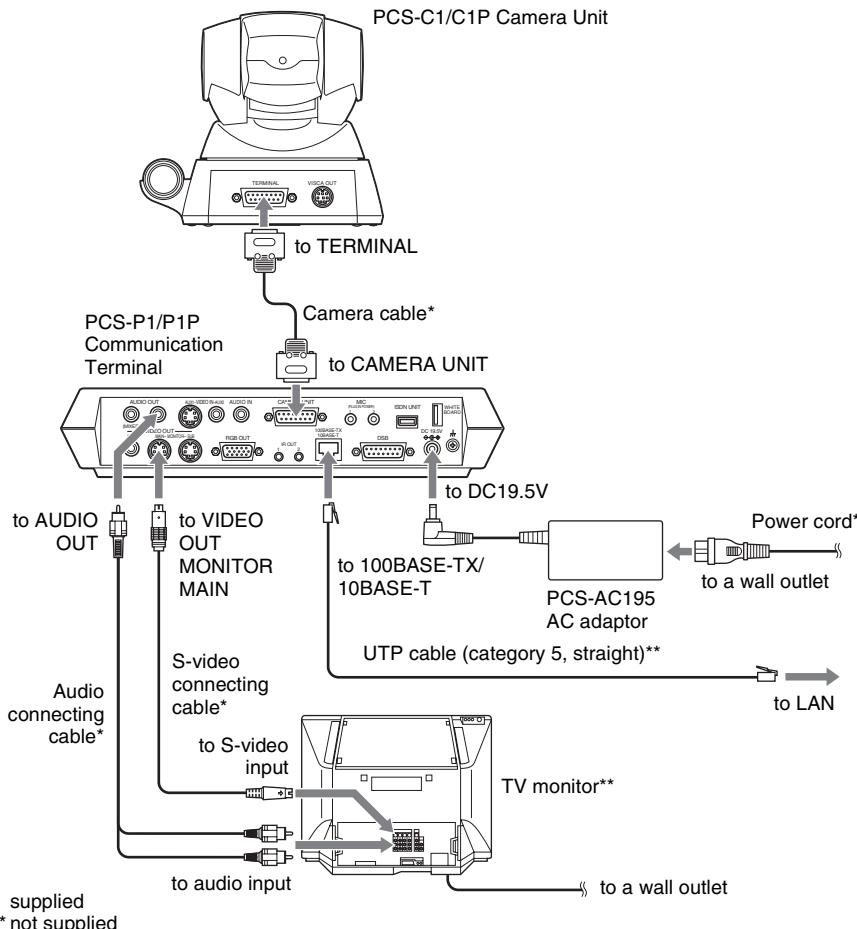
System Connections

This section describes the typical system connections.

Notes

- Be sure to turn off all the equipment before making any connections.
- Do not connect/disconnect the camera cable with the power on. Doing so may damage the Camera Unit or Communication Terminal.
- For safety, do not connect the 100BASE-TX/10BASE-T connector to a network that applies an excess voltage via the 100BASE-TX/10BASE-T connector.

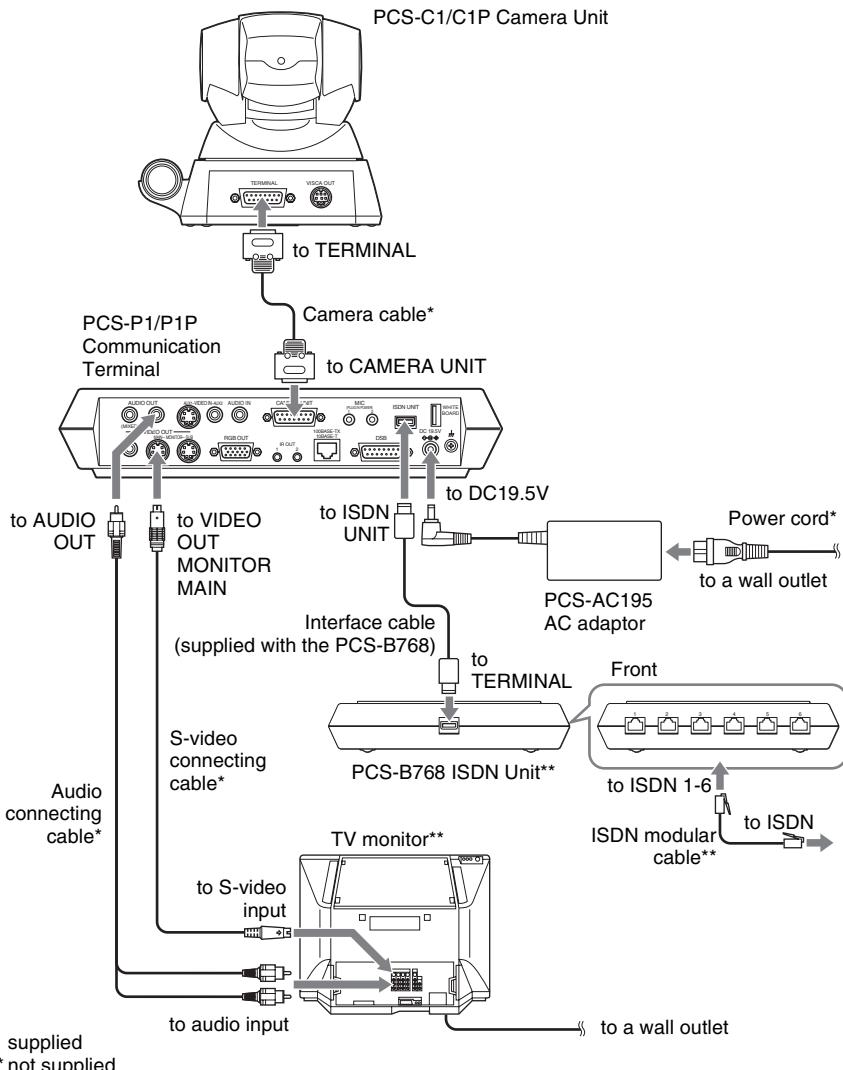
System Connection via a LAN



System Connection via an ISDN

Notes

- Do not connect/disconnect the camera cable or the interface cable with the power on. Doing so may damage the Camera Unit, Communication Terminal or ISDN Unit.
- Used with the PCS-B768 ISDN Unit for the first time, the Communication Terminal may automatically upgrade the software of the ISDN Unit. While the upgrading message is displayed on the monitor screen, be sure not to turn off the Communication Terminal. Doing so may cause malfunction of the system.

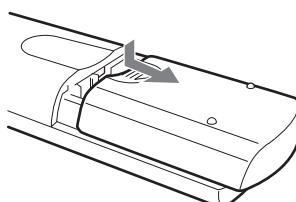


Preparing the System

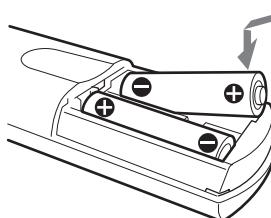
Inserting Batteries into the Remote Commander

Most of the operations with the Video Communication System can be controlled with the supplied Remote Commander.

- 1 Remove the battery compartment cover.



- 2 Insert two size AA (R6) batteries (supplied) with correct polarities into the battery compartment.



Caution

Be sure to insert the batteries \ominus side first. Inserting them forcibly \oplus side first may damage the insulated film covering the batteries and cause a short circuit.

- 3 Replace the cover.

Battery life

When the Remote Commander does not function properly, replace both the batteries with new ones.

Notes on batteries

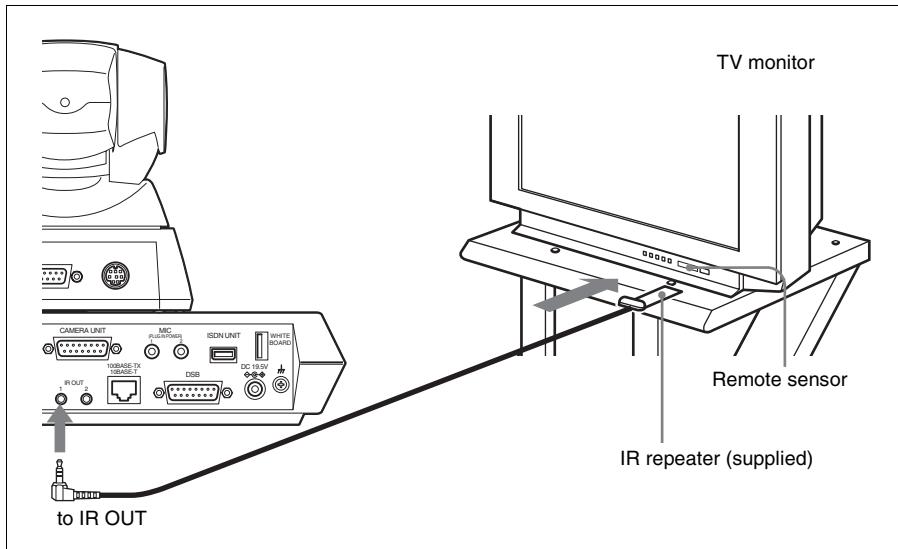
To avoid damage from possible battery leakage or corrosion, observe the following:

- Make sure to insert the batteries with the polarities in the correct direction.
- Do not mix old and new batteries, or different types of batteries.
- Do not attempt to charge the batteries.
- If you do not intend to use the Remote Commander for a long period of time, remove the batteries.

- If battery leakage occurs, clean the battery compartment and replace all the batteries with new ones.

Turning On/Off the TV Monitor Together With the Communication Terminal

If you use a Sony TV, insert the IR repeater under the remote sensor of the TV. Once you set the IR repeater, the TV will turn on or go to standby together with the Communication Terminal when you press the **I/O** button on the supplied Remote Commander.



Note

If the TV monitor is not turned on by pressing the **I/O** button on the Remote Commander, change the “IR Repeater Mode” setting in the General Setup menu.

For details on the “IR Repeater Mode” setting, see “General Setup Menu” on page 44.

Turning the System On/Off

This section describes how to turn on or off the Communication Terminal.

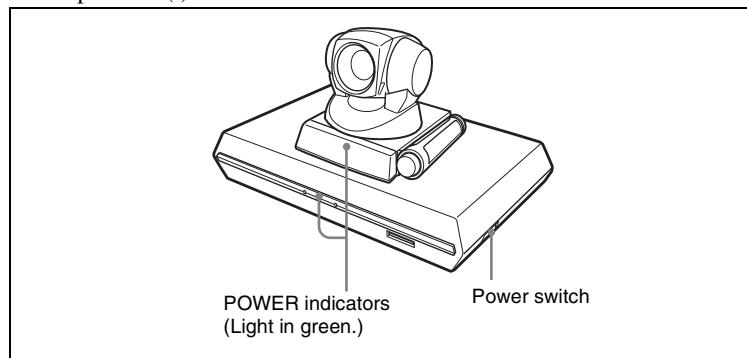
Turning On

1 Turn on the TV monitor.

If the IR repeater is installed in the TV monitor, set the TV monitor to standby mode. The TV monitor will turn on simultaneously when the Communication Terminal is turned on.

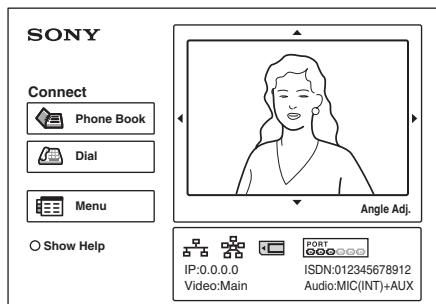
2 Turn on the power of any other equipment to be used for the videoconference.

3 Set the power switch on the right side of the Communication Terminal to the on position (I).



The Communication Terminal turns on after a while. Three indicators on the front of the Communication Terminal and the POWER indicator on the camera light, then only the POWER indicators on both units remain on in green. The launcher menu will appear on the monitor screen and the picture shot by the local camera will also appear in the launcher menu.

Launcher menu



Notes

- After the power is turned on, the camera moves automatically for trial operation. Be careful not to catch your finger.
- If you use force to prevent the camera moving, it may not resume moving and not output a signal to the Communication Terminal. In this case, turn off the Terminal, and turn it on again.
- When you turn on the power of the Communication Terminal for the first time after installation, the setup wizard will appear after the self-diagnosis is completed. Set up your system following the wizard.

For setups using the wizard, see “Setting Up the System for the First Time — Initial Setup Wizard” on page 28.

- Used with an optional device especially designed for use with this system, such as the Data Solution Box or ISDN Unit, for the first time, the Communication Terminal may automatically upgrade the software of the connected device. While the upgrading message is displayed on the monitor screen, be sure not to turn off the Communication Terminal. Doing so may cause malfunction of the system. System malfunction may also occur when a system power-off has been caused by an accidental problem such as a power interruption during upgrading. If connection of the Data Solution Box or ISDN Unit to the Communication Terminal is not re-established even after the system power is recovered, consult a Sony dealer.

Standby Mode Function

To save power the Communication Terminal will enter standby mode if you do not operate it for a specified period of time.

When the Communication Terminal is in standby mode, the POWER indicator lights in orange. Once the Communication Terminal receives a call, the standby mode is automatically released.

To release the standby mode

Press the  button on the Remote Commander.

To specify the standby time

Specify the time that you want the system to remain on before entering into standby mode (1 to 99 minutes) using “Standby Time” in the General Setup menu. If you do not want the system to enter the standby mode, set “Standby Mode” in the General Setup menu to “Off”.

For the “Standby Time” and “Standby Mode” settings, see “General Setup Menu” on page 44.

Notes

- The POWER indicator on the camera goes off when the system enters standby mode.
- If you use a Sony TV monitor with the IR repeater installed under the remote sensor, the TV monitor will enter standby mode together with the Communication Terminal.

Setting the Video Communication System to Standby Mode

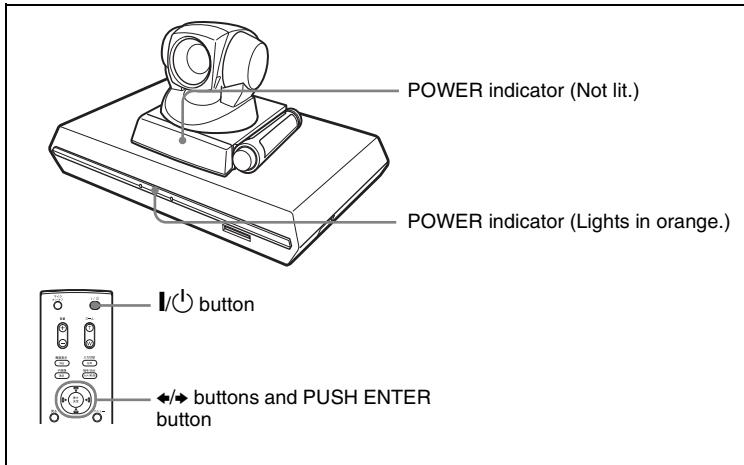
You can turn on the Video Communication System with the **I/O** button on the Remote Commander if it is in standby mode.

- 1 Display the launcher menu on the monitor screen, then press the **I/O** button on the Remote Commander.

The message “Power off?” appears on the monitor screen.

- 2 Press the **◀** or **▶** button on the Remote Commander to select OK, and press the PUSH ENTER button.

You may press the **I/O** button on the Remote Commander.



The Video Communication System enters standby mode and the POWER indicator on the Communication Terminal lights in orange. The POWER indicator on the camera goes out.

If the IR repeater is installed in a Sony TV monitor, it will go into standby together with the Video Communication System.

Note

When the Communication Terminal and the Camera are separately installed, point the Remote Commander to the Camera for operations.

To cancel setting the system to standby

Select “Cancel” with the **◀** or **▶** button on the Remote Commander, then press the PUSH ENTER button in step 2 above.

Turning Off

To turn off the Communication Terminal follow the procedure below.

- 1 Set the power switch on the right side of the Communication Terminal to the off position (○).
- 2 Turn off the power of other equipment used for the videoconference.

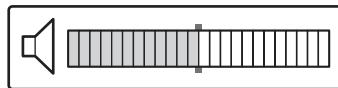
Note

Set the power switch on the Communication Terminal off when the system will not be used for an extended period. While the power switch is off, you cannot receive a call from a remote party.

Adjusting the Volume on the TV Monitor

Before adjusting the volume on the TV monitor, set the volume on the Communication Terminal to the appropriate position.

- 1 Press the VOLUME +/- buttons on the Remote Commander to set the volume level on the adjustment bar displayed on the screen to the middle position.



- 2 Adjust the volume on the TV monitor so that you can properly hear a remote party speaking.

To adjust the picture on the TV monitor

Use the controls on the TV monitor to adjust the picture, hue, contrast, brightness or sharpness.

For details on picture adjustments, refer to the Operating Instructions of the TV.

Note

Do not activate the TV's surround sound feature as it cause strange sound since the echo canceler of the Communication Terminal does not function properly.



Displaying the Help

Pressing the HELP button on the Remote Commander displays a balloon help or a help screen to guide most operations on the monitor screen.

Displaying the Versions and Options

You can check the version of the Communication Terminal, versions of the connected optional equipment for exclusive use of this system, and the options installed in the Terminal by displaying the Machine Information menu on the monitor screen.

For details on the Machine Information menu, see “Machine Information Menu” on page 50.

Setting Up the System for the First Time — Initial Setup Wizard

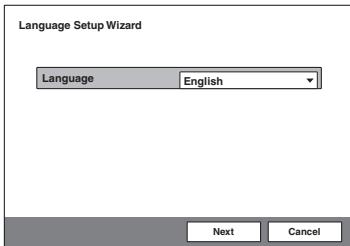
When you turn on the Communication Terminal for the first time after installation and the self-diagnosis is completed, the setup wizard appears on the monitor screen. Register your local system data with the setup wizard using the Remote Commander.

Notes

- You can change the settings made with the setup wizard later using the Setup menus.
- The setup wizard will also be displayed when you install the PCS-B768 ISDN Unit to your system later. Perform the setup again.

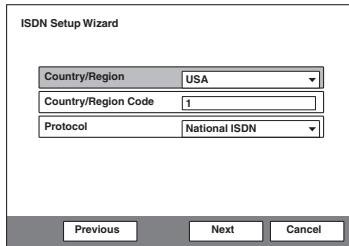
1 Select the language used for the on-screen menus and messages in the Language Setup Wizard.

Language: Select one of seven languages; English, French, German, Japanese, Spanish, Italian, Chinese.



2 Use the \uparrow , \downarrow , \leftarrow or \rightarrow button on the Remote Commander to select “Next”, then press the PUSH ENTER button. The ISDN Setup Wizard appears when the PCS-B768 ISDN Unit is connected. When the ISDN Unit is not connected, the LAN Setup Wizard is displayed. Proceed to step 9.

3 Set the following items on the ISDN line.



Country/Region: Select your country or region.

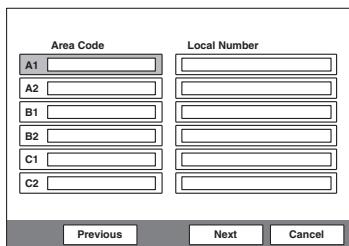
Country/Region Code: Enter your country code or region code with the number buttons on the Remote Commander.

Protocol: Select the protocol of the ISDN line you are using.

4 Use the \uparrow , \downarrow , \leftarrow or \rightarrow button to select “Next”, then press the PUSH ENTER button.

5 Enter the telephone number of the ISDN used by the system.

When you use one ISDN line, enter the same number both in the A1 and A2 text boxes (except for the USA and Canada).



Area Code: Enter the area code. Do not enter the first “0” number.

Local Number: Enter the telephone number.

When you select Auto SPID (only for customers in the USA and Canada)

You can automatically set up the Area Code and Local Number on this page, and SPID items in the SPID menu.

Note

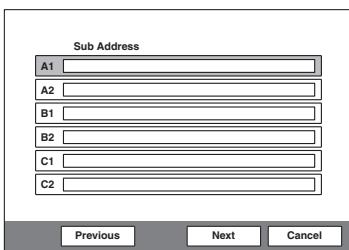
When 2-6 ISDN lines are used, enter the telephone numbers in the B1 to F2 text boxes in addition to the A1 and A2 boxes. To open the menu with D1 to F2 text boxes, select “Next”, then press the PUSH ENTER button.

6 Use the \uparrow , \downarrow , \leftarrow or \rightarrow button to select “Next”, then press the PUSH ENTER button.

7 Enter the sub-addresses.

Only numerals are available for a sub-address.

When you use one ISDN line, enter the same number both in the A1 and A2 text boxes (except for the USA and Canada).



Note

When 2-6 ISDN lines are used, enter the sub-addresses in the B1 to F2 text boxes in addition to the A1 and A2 boxes. To open the menu with these text boxes, select “Next”, then press the PUSH ENTER button.

8 Use the \uparrow , \downarrow , \leftarrow or \rightarrow button to select “Next”, then press the PUSH ENTER button.

For customers in other countries than the USA and Canada

The LAN Setup Wizard appears.

For customers in the USA and Canada

The ISDN Setup Wizard (SPID menu) appears.

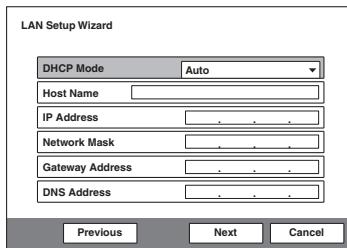
Set the SPID items, then select “Next” and press the PUSH ENTER button. The LAN Setup Wizard appears.

For details on the SPID settings, see “SPID Setting for Customers in the USA and Canada” on page 47.

Note

When you do not use the LAN, select “Next” to display the message window for confirmation, then proceed to step 11.

9 Set the following items on the LAN.



DHCP Mode: Sets the DHCP (Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol).

Auto: Automatically assigns your IP address, network mask, gateway address and DNS address.

Off: Deactivates DHCP. In this case set your IP address, network mask, gateway address and DNS address manually.

Host Name: Enter your host name.

IP Address: Enter your IP address.

Network Mask: Enter your network mask.

Gateway Address: Enter your default gateway address.

DNS Address: Enter your DNS (Domain Name System) server address.

Note

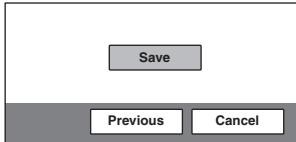
When you set “DHCP Mode” to “Auto”, the assigned IP address is shown in the launcher menu (page 57) or Machine Information menu (page 50).

When you do not know how to set up the LAN configuration, contact your network administrator.

10 Use the **↑, ↓, ← or →** button to select “Next”, then press the PUSH ENTER button.

The message window for confirmation appears.

11 Use the **↑, ↓, ← or →** button to select “Save”, then press the PUSH ENTER button.



The settings are saved.

To cancel the setting

Press the **↑, ↓, ← or →** button to select “Cancel”, then press the PUSH ENTER button.

To go back to the previous wizard

Press the **↑, ↓, ← or →** button to select “Previous”, then press the PUSH ENTER button.

Using the Menu

The Video Communication System uses the on-screen menus to make various adjustments and settings. This section describes how to adjust or set the items in the menus and gives a brief introduction of the menus.

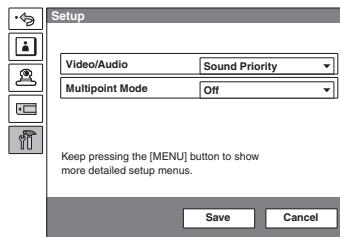
For the menu configuration, see page 183.

Operation

The basic operation through the menu is explained by taking the Setup menu.

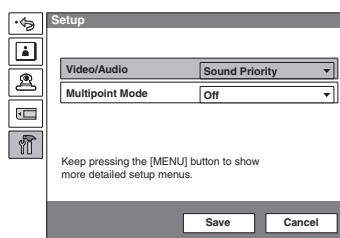
1 Press the MENU button on the Remote Commander, or press the **↑, ↓, ← or →** button to select “Menu” and press the PUSH ENTER button in the launcher menu.

The Setup menu appears.



2 Press the **→** button, then press the PUSH ENTER button.

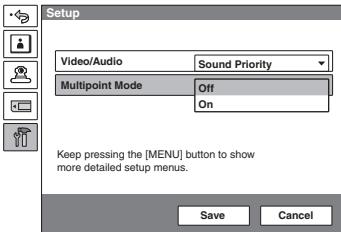
The top item is selected.





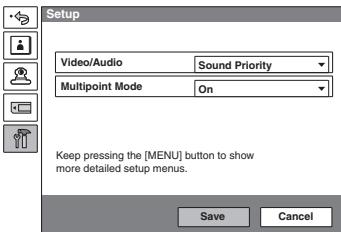
3 Press the **↑** or **↓** button to select the item you want to set or adjust, then press the PUSH ENTER button.

The setting items are displayed.



4 Press the **↑** or **↓** button to select the setting item you want, then press the PUSH ENTER button.

5 Press the **↓** button to select “Save”, then press the PUSH ENTER button.



The selected setting is saved.

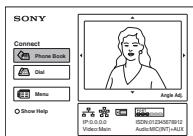
To return to the previous menu

Press the RETURN button on the Remote Commander.

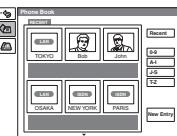
Menu Configurations

The menus of this system configure as described below. For more detailed menu configurations, refer to “Menu Configuration” on page 183.

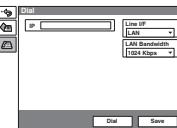
Launcher menu



Phone Book menu



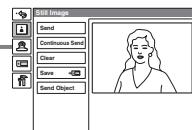
Dial menu



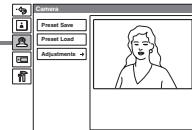
Menu



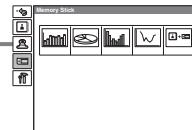
Still Image menu



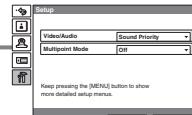
Camera menu



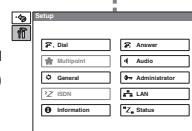
Memory Stick menu



Setup menu



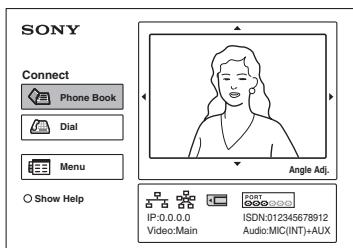
Setup menu
(for the administrator)



Selecting the icons on the menu tabs shown on the left side of the launcher menu displays each menu.

Icon	Displayed menu
◀	Returns to the previous menu.
✉	Phone Book menu
☎	Dial menu
📷	Still Image menu
📹	Camera menu
_SD	Memory Stick menu
🔧	Setup menu

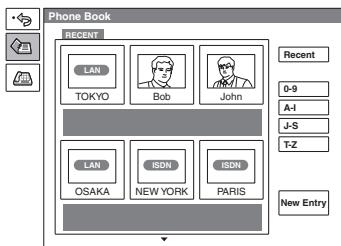
Launcher menu



The launcher menu appears when the Video Communication System is turned on or is displayed while it is not connected to a remote party.

For details on the launcher menu, see page 57.

Phone Book menu

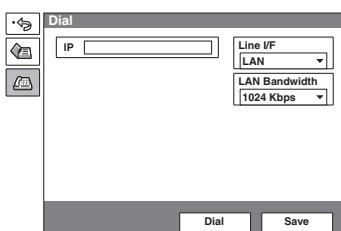


The Phone Book menu is used to register a remote party, or to call a registered remote party.

The menu appears when you select “Phone Book” in the Launcher menu or  from the menu tabs.

For details on the Phone Book menu, see pages 52–55 and 65–67.

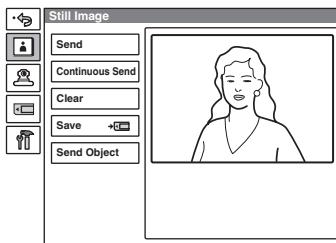
Dial menu



The Dial menu is used to call a remote party who is not registered in the Phone Book. The menu appears when you select “Dial” in the launcher menu or  from the menu tabs, or press the CONNECT/DISCONNECT ( / ) button on the Remote Commander.

For details on the Dial menu, see page 61.

Still Image menu

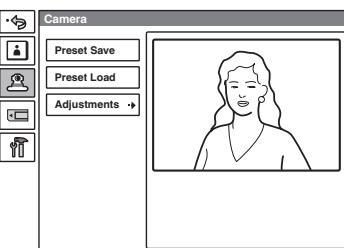


The Still Image menu is used to control still images.

The menu appears when you select  from the menu tabs displayed by selecting “Menu” in the launcher menu.

For details on the Still Image menu, see pages 85 and 97.

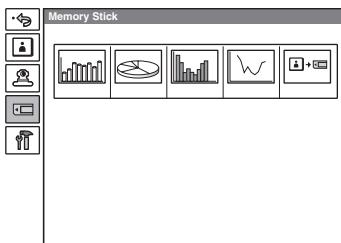
Camera Menu



The Camera menu is used to adjust camera angle or zooming of the displayed image. The menu appears when you select  from the menu tabs displayed by selecting “Menu” in the launcher menu.

For details on the Camera menu, see page 75.

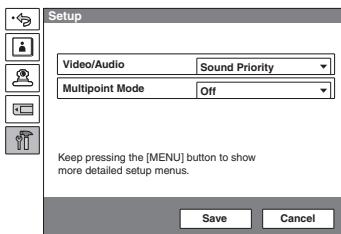
Memory Stick menu



The Memory Stick menu is used when you are using a “Memory Stick”. The menu is not displayed unless a “Memory Stick” is installed in the Communication Terminal. The menu appears when you select  from the menu tabs displayed by selecting “Menu” in the launcher menu.

For details on the Memory Stick menu, see pages 85 to 98.

Setup menu

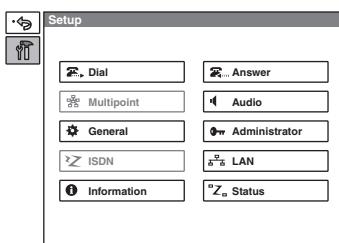


The Setup menu is used for participants in the videoconference before or during the conference.

The menu appears when you select  from the menu tabs displayed by selecting “Menu” in the launcher menu or by pressing the MENU button on the Remote Commander.

For details on the Setup menu, see page 60.

Setup menu (for the administrator)

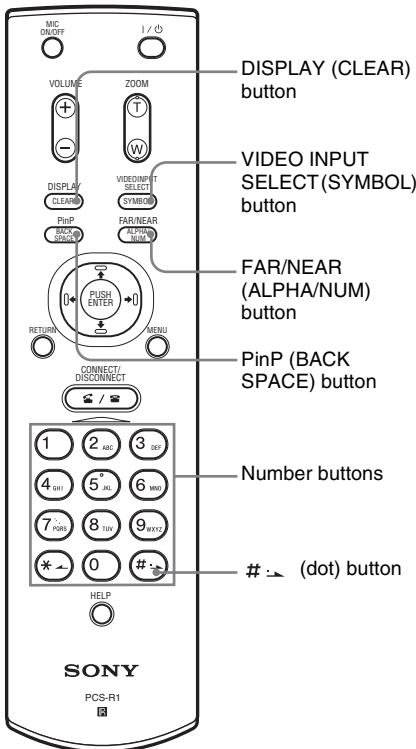


The Setup menu for the administrator is used to set various detailed items on the system. The menu can be displayed by keeping the MENU button on the Remote Commander pressed while the Setup menu (initial Setup menu) is displayed.

For details on the Setup menu (for the administrator), see page 36.

Entering Characters

This section explains how to enter the letters, numerals or symbols on the text box in the menu using the Remote Commander.



To enter letters or numerals

- 1 Press the FAR/NEAR (ALPHA/NUM) button repeatedly to enable the alphabet or numerals to be input.
- 2 Press the number buttons repeatedly to enter the letters or numerals you want.
You can enter the letter shown on each button by pressing it repeatedly.
You can enter the numeral shown on each button by pressing it.

To enter a symbol

Press the VIDEO INPUT SELECT (SYMBOL) button repeatedly to select the

desired symbol. Pressing the 0 button also enables you to enter the symbol, -, " or ".

To enter a dot (.) for an IP address

Press the # ↘ button.

To delete a character

Press the PinP (BACK SPACE) button. The last entered character is deleted.

To delete all characters in a line

Move the cursor to the line to be deleted, then press the DISPLAY (CLEAR) button.

Chapter 2: Registration and Setup for System Administrators

This chapter describes the registration and settings to be carried out by the system administrator. The chapter is intended to be read by the system administrator.

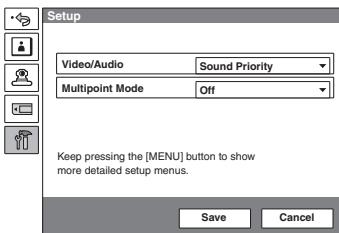
Registering Local Information

Before starting a conference, register the required information on the local terminals of the system using the Setup menu for administrator. This section describes how to display the Setup menus for the administrator and gives a introduction to the menus.

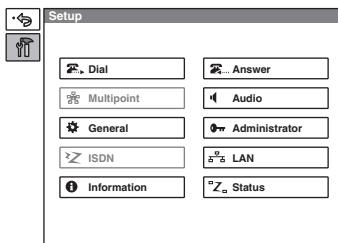
Opening the Setup Menu for the Administrator

- 1 Press the MENU button on the Remote Commander, or use the **↑**, **↓**, **←** or **→** button to select “MENU” in the launcher menu, then press the PUSH ENTER button.

The initial Setup menu appears on the monitor screen.



- 2 Keep the MENU button pressed. The Setup menu for the administrator appears on the monitor screen.



Choosing the following items opens the respective menus.

Dial: Dial Setup menu (see page 37)

Answer: Answer Setup menu (see page 39)

Multipoint: Multipoint Setup menu (see page 41)

Audio: Audio Setup menu (see page 42)

General: General Setup menu (see page 43)

Administrator: Administrator Setup menu (see page 45)

ISDN: ISDN Setup menu (see page 45)

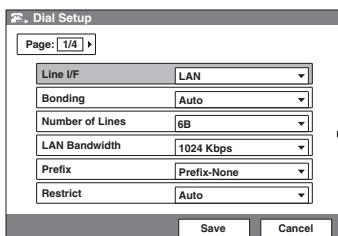
LAN: LAN Setup menu (see page 48)

Information: Machine Information menu (see page 50)

Status: Communication Status menu (see page 51)

- 3 Use the **↑**, **↓**, **←** or **→** button on the Remote Commander to select the menu you want to set, then press the PUSH ENTER button.

The selected setup menu appears.



- 4 Set the respective items.

For details on individual items, see the relevant menu pages.

5 After the setting is completed, use the **↑**, **↓**, **◀** or **▶** button to select “Save”, then press the PUSH ENTER button. The setting is saved, and the Setup menu is restored.

To cancel the setup

Use the **↑**, **↓**, **◀** or **▶** button on the Remote Commander to select “Cancel”, then press the PUSH ENTER button. Or press the RETURN button on the Remote Commander.

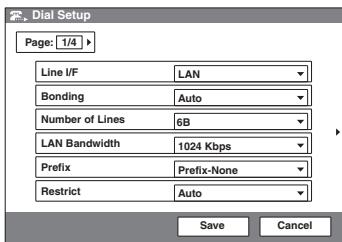
To page up or down the selected menu

Use the **↑**, **↓**, **◀** or **▶** button on the Remote Commander to select the Page box, then press the **▶** button to advance the page and the **◀** button to go back to the previous page.

Dial Setup Menu

The Dial Setup menu is used to set the attributes for dialing.

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Line I/F

Select the line interface you use normally.

LAN: Connects a videoconferencing system via a LAN.

ISDN: Connects a videoconferencing system via ISDN.

ISDN (Telephone): Connects an audio-only telephone via ISDN (Voice Meeting).

Bonding*

Select whether you use a process called BONDING to connect multiple ISDN lines. Through BONDING, connection of one line

enables you to automatically connect all other lines.

Auto: Automatically activates connection through BONDING if this feature is available on the remote party.

On: Always connects a remote party through BONDING.

* Bonding (Bandwidth on Demand Interoperability Group) is a registered trademark of THE BONDING CONSORTIUM.

Number of Lines

Selects the number of ISDN channels to be used for BONDING call.

You can select from among 1B, 2B, 3B, 4B, 5B, 6B, 8B and 12B channels.

LAN Bandwidth

Selects the bandwidth to be used when connected to a LAN.

You can select from among 64 Kbps, 128 Kbps, 384 Kbps, 768 Kbps, 1024 Kbps, 1920 Kbps and “Other”. When “Other” is selected, a bandwidth value between 1 and 1920 Kbps can be entered.

Prefix

Selects the prefix number (call number prefixed to a line number) setting.

Prefix-None: Sets when using no prefix number.

Prefix-A: Select to use the prefix set in “Prefix-A” on Page 3 of the Dial Setup menu.

Prefix-B: Select to use the prefix set in “Prefix-B” on Page 3 of the Dial Setup menu.

Prefix-C: Select to use the prefix set in “Prefix-C” on Page 3 of the Dial Setup menu.

For details on setting the prefix number, see Page 3 of the Dial Setup Menu on page 39.

Restrict

Selects the ISDN transmission rate at dialing.

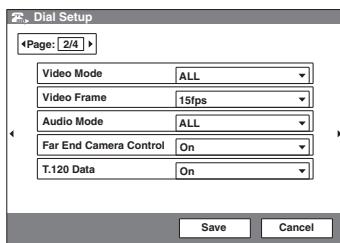
Auto: Selects when connecting a remote party via a normal ISDN line.

56K: Selects when connecting a remote party in a region or country where the ISDN transmission rate is 56 Kbps.

Note

The system is set to connect an ISDN line at the transmission rate of 64 Kbps at the factory. However, some countries such as the USA or some regions may use the ISDN transmission rate of 64 Kbps and 56 Kbps. You may not communicate with such country or region with the transmission rate of 64 Kbps. In this case, set "Restrict" to "56K" before dialing.

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Video Mode

Selects the compression format of the pictures to be sent to a remote party.

ALL: Sends pictures of any compression format depending on the format used on the remote site.

MPEG4: Sends pictures based on the MPEG4 format.

H.263+: Sends pictures based on Recommendation H.263+.

H.261: Sends pictures based on Recommendation H.261 (when sending still images using Annex D).

Video Frame

Selects the number of video frame for transmission.

15fps: Sends CIF format pictures at a maximum rate of 15 frames per second.

30fps: Sends CIF format pictures at a maximum rate of 30 frames per second.

Audio Mode

Selects the compression format of audio to be sent to a remote party.

ALL: Sends any audio compression format depending on the format used on the remote site.

MPEG4 Audio: Sends audio based on the MPEG4 format.

G.722.1: Sends audio based on the G.722.1 standard.

G.722: Sends audio based on the G.722 standard.

G.729: Sends audio based on the G.729 standard.

G.728: Sends audio based on the G.728 standard.

G.723.1: Sends audio based on the G.723.1 standard.

G.711: Sends audio based on the G.711 standard.

Note

When the remote videoconferencing system does not support the Audio Mode selected by the local site, the mode automatically switches to "G.711".

Far End Camera Control

When the conference starts by calling a remote party from the local site, selects whether to enable control of each other's cameras from each other sites.

On: Enables control of each other's cameras. Normally, set to ON.

Off: Disables control of each other's cameras.

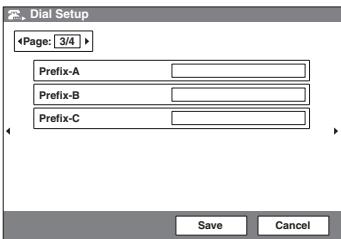
T.120 Data

Selects whether you conduct a data conference via the T.120 standard using NetMeeting.

On: Enables conduct of the T.120 data conference.

Off: Disables conduct of the T.120 data conference.

For details on the T.120 data conference, see "Conducting a Data Conference Using NetMeeting – T.120 Data Conference" on page 112.



Prefix-A

When "Prefix" on Page 1 of the Dial Setup menu is set to "Prefix-A", the line number prefixed by the prefix (dial number) registered in this box is dialed.

Prefix-B

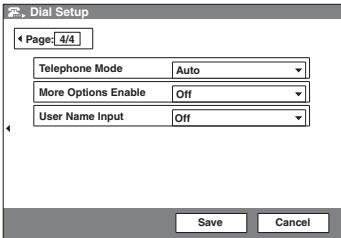
When "Prefix" on Page 1 of the Dial Setup menu is set to "Prefix-B", the line number prefixed by the prefix (dial number) registered in this box is dialed.

Prefix-C

When "Prefix" on Page 1 of the Dial Setup menu is set to "Prefix-C", the line number prefixed by the prefix (dial number) registered in this box is dialed.

Note

Enter "9" when this is required to reach an outgoing call.



Telephone Mode

Selects the audio compression format when conducting a voice meeting.

Auto: Selects an appropriate format automatically.

G.711 μ-law: Selects the format based on the G.711 μ-law standard.

G.711 A-law: Selects the format based on the G.711 A-law standard.

More Options Enable

Selects whether you set the items in the Dial Setup menu for each dial list.

On: Enables setting for each dial list. When you select "More Options Enable" in the List Edit menu of the Phone Book, the Dial Setup menu appears.

Off: Enables application of the settings in the Dial Setup menu to all the dial lists.

User Name Input

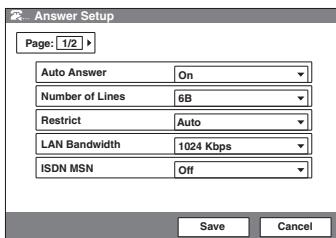
Before starting communication, selects whether you record the user names in the communication log.

On: Records the user names. Each time a dialing is made, the menu where the name is input appears.

Off: Disables recording of the user names.

Answer Setup Menu

The Answer Setup menu is used to set up for receiving a call.



Auto Answer Mode

Selects whether the auto answer mode is activated.

On: Answers a call in auto answer mode. When a call comes in, the line is automatically connected.

Off: Answers a call in manual answer mode. When you are called up, the phone rings. If you select "OK" for the message "Respond?", the line is connected.

Number of Lines

Selects the number of ISDN channels used to receive a call.

You can select from among 1B, 2B, 3B, 4B, 5B, 6B, 8B and 12B channels.

Restrict

Selects the transmission rate of the ISDN lines when a call comes in.

Auto: Selects when connecting a remote party via a normal ISDN line.

56 K: Selects when connecting a remote party in a region or country where 56 Kbps is used for the ISDN transmission rate.

Note

The system is set to connect an ISDN line at the transmission rate of 64 Kbps at the factory. However, some countries such as the USA or some regions may use the ISDN transmission rate of 64 Kbps and 56 Kbps. You may not communicate with such country or region with the transmission rate of 64 Kbps. In this case, set “Restrict” to “56K” before dialing.

LAN Bandwidth

Select the bandwidth to be used when connected to a LAN.

You can select from among 64 Kbps, 128 Kbps, 384 Kbps, 768 Kbps, 1024 Kbps, 1920 Kbps and “Other”.

When “Other” is selected, a bandwidth value between 1 and 1920 Kbps can be entered.

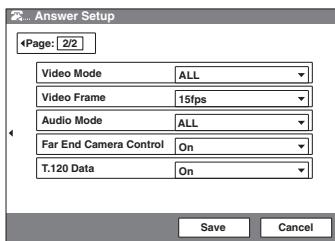
ISDN MSN

Selects whether you are using the Multiple Subscriber Number.

On: Selects when you use the Multiple Subscriber Number.

Off: Selects when you do not use the Multiple Subscriber Number.

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Video Mode

Selects the compression format of the pictures to be received from a remote party.

ALL: Receives pictures of any compression format depending on the format used on the remote site.

MPEG4: Receives pictures based on the MPEG4 format.

H.263+: Receives pictures based on Recommendation H.263+.

H.261: Receives pictures based on Recommendation H.261.

Video Frame

Selects the number of video frame to be received.

15 fps: Receives CIF format pictures at a maximum rate of 15 frames per second.

30 fps: Receives CIF format pictures at a maximum rate of 30 frames per second.

Audio Mode

Selects the compression format of audio to be received from a remote party.

ALL: Receives any audio compression format depending on the format used on the remote site.

MPEG4 Audio: Receives audio based on the MPEG4 format.

G.722.1: Receives audio based on the G.722.1 standard.

G.722: Receives audio based on the G.722 standard.

G.729: Receives audio based on the G.729 standard.

G.728: Receives audio based on the G.728 standard.

G.723.1: Receives audio based on the G.723.1 standard.

G.711: Receives audio based on the G.711 standard.

Note

When the remote videoconferencing system does not support the Audio Mode selected by the local site, the mode automatically switches to “G.711”.

Far End Camera Control

When the conference starts with a call from a remote party, selects whether to enable control of each other’s cameras from each other’s sites.

On: Enables control of each other’s cameras.

Off: Disables control of the remote party’s camera.

T.120 Data

Selects whether you conduct a data conference via the T.120 standard using NetMeeting.

On: Enables conduct of the T.120 data conference.

Off: Disables conduct of the T.120 data conference.

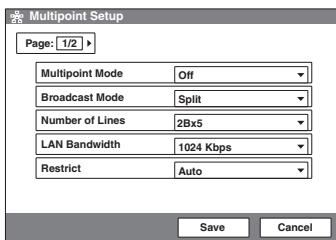
For details on the T.120 data conference, see “Conducting a Data Conference Using NetMeeting – T.120 Data Conference” on page 112.

Multipoint Setup Menu

The Multipoint Setup menu is used when you conduct a multipoint videoconference.

Note

The Multipoint Setup menu is available when the System has the optional PCS-320M1 H.320 MCU or PCS-323M1 H.323 MCU software installed.

Page 1/2**Multipoint Mode**

Selects whether you conduct a multipoint videoconference.

On: Conducts a multipoint videoconference.

Off: Does not conduct a multipoint videoconference.

Note

The Multipoint Mode can be selected with the initial Setup menu (page 60).

Broadcast Mode

Selects the broadcast mode.

Split: Displays the pictures of the terminals connected in split windows.

Voice Activate: Detects the terminal with the speaker with the loudest voice, and sends the picture of that terminal to all other terminals.

Number of Lines

Selects the ISDN channels and the number of remote points to be used for a multipoint videoconference.

1B x 5: Connects to five points via a 1B channel. (Six-point conference)

2B x 5: Connects to five points via 2B channels. (Six-point conference)

4B x 3: Connects to three points via 4B channels. (Four-point conference)

6B x 2: Connects to two points via 6B channels. (Three-point conference)

Note

Some of the above items are not available depending on the number of ISDN lines you are using.

LAN Bandwidth

Selects the bandwidth to be used when connected to a LAN.

You can select from among 384 Kbps, 768 Kbps, 1024 Kbps, 1920 Kbps and “Other”. When “Other” is selected, a bandwidth value between 1 and 1920 Kbps can be entered.

Restrict

Selects the ISDN transmission rate when dialing or answering.

Auto: Selects when connecting a remote party via a normal ISDN line.

56K: Selects when connecting a remote party in a region or country where the ISDN transmission rate is 56 Kbps.

Note

The system is set to connect an ISDN line at the transmission rate of 64 Kbps at the factory. However, some countries such as the USA or some regions may use the ISDN transmission rate of 64 Kbps and 56 Kbps. You may not communicate with such country or region with the transmission rate of 64 Kbps. In this case, set “Restrict” to “56K” before dialing.

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Video Mode	ALL
Audio Mode	ALL
Display Terminal Name	On
Far End Camera Control	On

Save Cancel

Video Mode

Selects the compression format of the pictures for a multipoint conference.

ALL: Uses any video compression format depending on the format used on the remote sites.

H.263: Uses pictures based on Recommendation H.263.

H.261: Uses pictures based on Recommendation H.261.

Audio Mode

Selects the audio compression format for a multipoint conference.

ALL: Uses any audio compression format depending on the format used on the remote site.

G.722: Uses audio based on the G.722 standard.

G.728: Uses audio based on the G.728 standard.

G.711: Uses audio based on the G.711 standard.

Note

When the remote videoconferencing system does not support the Audio Mode selected by the local site, the mode automatically switches to “G.711”.

Display Terminal Name

Selects whether you display the connected terminal names on the monitor screen at the time of disconnection.

On: Displays the terminal names.

Off: Does not display terminal names.

Far End Camera Control

Selects whether to enable control of each other's cameras from each other sites.

On: Enables control of each other's cameras. Normally, set to ON.

Off: Disables control of each other's cameras.

Audio Setup Menu

The Audio Setup menu is used to set various audio items.

Input Select	MIC
MIC Select	Internal
Lip Sync	Off
Echo Canceler	Internal
Beep Sound	On
Recording Mute	On

Save Cancel

Input Select

Selects the sound to be input.

MIC: Inputs the sound of the microphone.

AUX: Inputs the sound from external equipment.

MIC+AUX: Inputs both sounds from the microphone and external equipment.

Mic Select

Selects the microphone to be used.

Internal: Uses the built-in microphone.

External: Uses the microphone connected to the Communication Terminal.

DSB MIC: Uses the microphone connected to the Data Solution Box.

DSB AUX IN: Used to expand future system capability.

Lip Sync

Selects whether to enable the Lip Sync function.

On: Enables the Lip Sync function. The movement of the speaker's lips is synchronized with his voice.

Off: Disables the Lip Sync function.

Echo Canceler

Selects whether you use the echo canceler.

Internal: Enables the built-in echo canceler.

External: Uses the echo canceler of the external equipment connected.

Off: Disables the built-in echo canceler.

Beep Sound

Selects whether the beep sounds when you press the button on the Remote Commander.

On: Enables beep.

Off: Disables beep.

Recording Mute

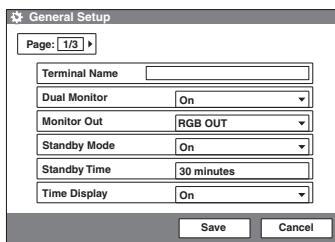
When connecting a video cassette recorder to the AUDIO IN/AUDIO OUT (MIXED) jacks to record the sound for a conference, the recording mute function prevents echo from reflecting on a remote site. This item is only available when "Input Select" is set to "AUX" or "MIC + AUX".

On: Enables the recording mute function.

Off: Disables the recording mute function.

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Terminal Name

Input the terminal name to report when the system is connected to the external multipoint videoconferencing system.

Dual Monitor

When two monitors are connected to the System, selects whether you use the dual monitor mode.

On: Enables the dual monitor mode. Still images are always displayed on the second monitor.

Off: Disables the dual monitor mode. Still images are always displayed on the first monitor.

For details on the dual monitor mode, see "Using Two Monitors – Dual Monitor" on page 101.

Monitor Out (or Sub Monitor Out)

Selects the output connected to the monitor to which the signal is output.

This item changes to "Sub Monitor Out" if "Dual Monitor" is set to "On", and selects the output connected to the sub-monitor (second monitor) to which the signal is output.

RGB OUT: Outputs from the RGB OUT connector on the Communication Terminal.

RGB OUT (DSB): Outputs from the RGB OUT connector on the Data Solution Box.

VIDEO OUT: Outputs from the VIDEO OUT MONITOR MAIN or SUB connector.

For details, see "Outputting Video Signals to External Equipment" on page 109.

Standby Mode

Sets whether the Communication Terminal is set to standby mode if it is not operated for a specified period of time.

On: Activates standby mode.

Off: Deactivates standby mode.

Standby Time

Specifies the time that the system remains on before entering the standby mode. You can specify a time between 1 and 99 minutes.

For details on standby mode, see “Standby Mode Function” on page 24.

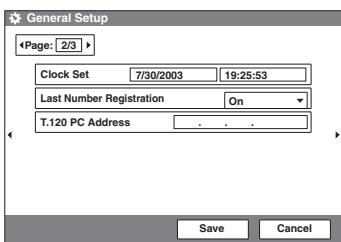
Time Display

Selects whether you display the elapsed time on the monitor screen during the conference.

On: Displays the elapsed time.

Off: Does not display the elapsed time.

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Clock Set

Enter the current date and time.

Last Number Registration

Selects whether or not to register the remote party in the Phone Book after the conference has finished.

On: If the remote party has not yet been registered in the Phone Book, the message “Register this participant in the list?” appears on the monitor screen after the conference has finished. When you select “OK”, the List Edit menu opens.

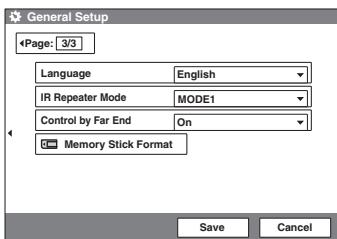
Off: The above message does not appear.

T.120 PC Address

When conducting a data conference based on the T.120 standard using NetMeeting, input the IP address of the computer.

For details on a data conference based on the T.120 standard, see “Conducting a Data Conference Using NetMeeting – T.120 Data Conference” on page 112.

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Language

Selects the language used for messages or menus.

You can select among from seven languages; English, French, German, Japanese, Spanish, Italian and Chinese.

IR Repeater Mode

Selects the remote control mode of the IR repeater.

MODE 1: (For customers who are using the PCS-1 Video Communication System only)

Normally, select this mode.

MODE 2: (For customers who are using the PCS-1 Video Communication System only)

Select this mode if the System does not operate properly with the MODE 1 setting.

MODE 3: (For customers who are using the PCS-1P Video Communication System only)

Normally, select this mode.

MODE 4: (For customers who are using the PCS-1P Video Communication System only)

Select this mode if the System does not operate properly with the MODE 3 setting.

Control by Far End

When “Far End Camera Control” is set to “On” in the Dial Setup menu on the local party and in the Answer Setup menu on the remote party, you can temporarily reject the camera control command transmitted by the remote party.

On: Accepts the camera control command.
Off: Rejects the camera control command.

Memory Stick Format

Formats the “Memory Stick”.

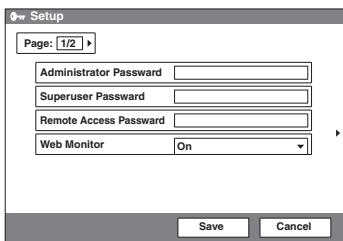
Note

If you format the “Memory Stick”, all the data including the still images and Phone Book stored will be lost.

Administrator Setup Menu

The Administrator Setup menu is used for the system administrators. If you have set the password with this menu, you need to enter it when accessing the setup menus or Phone Book menus to change the items. Entering the password is also required to access the Administrator Setup menu.

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Administrator Password

Sets the password for the system administrator. The administrator password is valid to modify the items in the Setup menu for the administrator and in the Phone Book menu.

The items in the Setup menu for the administrator and in the Phone Book menu can be changed by the administrator.

Superuser Password

Sets the password for the super-user. The superuser password is valid to modify the items in the Phone Book menu.

Remote Access Password

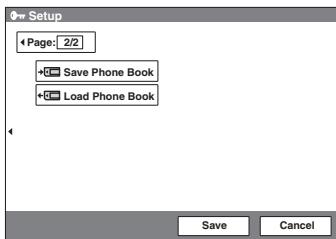
Sets the password required to access this System from a Web browser. Accessing from a Web browser is also enabled by entering the administrator or superuser password.

Web Monitor

Selects whether or not to permit monitoring of the JPEG images of this System via a Web browser.

On: Permits monitoring via a Web browser.
Off: Disables monitoring.

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Save Phone Book

Saves the data in the Phone Book in a “Memory Stick”. The data in the “Memory Stick” will be overwritten.

Load Phone Book

Loads the data in the Phone Book from a “Memory Stick”. The data in the Phone Book will be overwritten.

ISDN Setup Menu

The ISDN Setup menu is used to set up the ISDN lines.

Note

The ISDN Setup menu is displayed only when the optional PCS-B768 ISDN Unit is installed to your system.

The screenshot shows the 'ISDN Setup' window with the following fields:

- Page: 1/7
- Country/Region: USA
- Country/Region Code: 1
- Protocol: National ISDN

At the bottom are 'Save' and 'Cancel' buttons.

Country/Region

Selects the country or region where you use the Communication Terminal.

You can select from among Europe (excluding France), France, Japan, USA and Other.

Country/Region Code

Enter the country code or region code.

For customers in the USA and Canada, see "SPID Setting for Customers in the USA and Canada" on page 47.

Protocol

Selects the protocol of the ISDN lines to be used.

You can select Japan (NTT), Euro ISDN, Euro ISDN (France), National ISDN, 5ESS(P-MP), 5ESS(P-P) or DMS-100 depending on the interface you are using.

For customers in the USA and Canada, see "SPID Setting for Customers in the USA and Canada" on page 47.

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Shows the A1 to C2 text boxes for inputting the telephone numbers.

The screenshot shows the 'ISDN Setup' window with the following fields:

- Page: 2/7
- Area Code: A1, A2, B1, B2, C1, C2
- Local Number: A1, A2, B1, B2, C1, C2

At the bottom are 'Save' and 'Cancel' buttons.

Area Code

Enter the area code to be used for the ISDN interface. Do not enter the first "0" number of your area code.

Local Number

Enter the telephone number (local number) to be used for the ISDN interface.

Note

The D1-F2 text boxes are shown on the next page (Page 3). Fill in the boxes depending on the lines you connect.

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Shows the A1 to C2 text boxes for inputting the telephone numbers.

The screenshot shows the 'ISDN Setup' window with the following fields:

- Page: 4/7
- Sub Address: A1, A2, B1, B2, C1, C2

At the bottom are 'Save' and 'Cancel' buttons.

Sub Address

Enter the sub-addresses when registering them. Only numerals are available for a sub-address.

Note

The D1-F2 text boxes are shown on the next page (Page 5). Fill in the boxes depending on the lines you connect.

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Shows the A1 to C2 text boxes for inputting the telephone numbers and the Auto SPID tab.

The screenshot shows the 'ISDN Setup' window with the following fields:

- Page: 6/7
- SPID: A1, A2, B1, B2, C1, C2
- Auto SPID

At the bottom are 'Save' and 'Cancel' buttons.

SPID

This item is used only for customers in the USA and Canada.

For details, see “SPID Setting for Customers in the USA and Canada”.

Auto SPID

This item is used only for customers in the USA and Canada.

For details, see “SPID Setting for Customers in the USA and Canada”.

Note

- The D1-F2 text boxes are shown on the next page (Page 7). Fill in the boxes depending on the lines you connect.
- The SPID menu does not appear depending on the protocol you selected on Page 1.

SPID Setting for Customers in the USA and Canada

If you connect to an ISDN switch type, configuration of SPID (Service Profile Identifier) is required. When you select “Auto SPID” in the ISDN Setup Wizard (see page 28), the “Area Code”, “Local Number” and “SPID” setup items are automatically set.

If “Auto SPID” is not available in your area, set up SPID manually using the ISDN Setup menu.

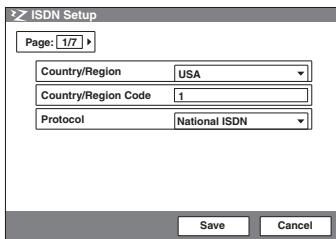
- 1 Open the ISDN Setup menu.
- 2 Enter the country code in the Country/Region Code text box depending on the network switch type you are using.

AT&T 5ESS (National ISDN), NTI DMS-100 (National ISDN): Enter “1”.

AT&T 5ESS (Multipoint Custom ISDN): Enter “1*10”.

AT&T 5ESS (Point-to-Point Custom ISDN): Enter “1*12”.

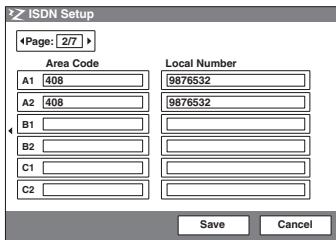
NTI DMS-100 (Custom ISDN): Enter “1*11”.



- 3 Open Page 2 of the ISDN Setup menu to enter the LDN (Local Directory Number) in the Local Number text boxes.

When you use the AT&T 5ESS (Multipoint Custom ISDN) or AT&T 5ESS (Point-to-Point Custom ISDN) switch type

Enter the same LDNs in the A1 and A2 (B1 and B2, C1 and C2, depending on the number of lines you use) text boxes.



When you use the NTI DMS-100 (National ISDN) or NTI DMS-100 (Custom ISDN) switch type

Enter the different LDNs in the A1 and A2 (B1 and B2, C1 and C2, depending on the number of lines you use) text boxes. These switch types are given a separate number for each channel.

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Area Code	Local Number
A1 408	9876543
A2 408	9876544
B1	
B2	
C1	
C2	

Save Cancel

When you use the AT&T 5ESS (National ISDN) switch type

You may enter the same or different numbers in two channels.

- Open Page 6 (SPID setup menu) to enter the SPID.

The SPID generally comprises 12 digits, including a 7 digit LDN (Local Directory Number).

Be sure to enter the different SPID number in each of the A1 and A2 (B1 and B2, C1 and C2, depending on the number of lines you use) text boxes if you have entered the separate LDNs in the Local Number text boxes for each channel in step 3.

For the AT&T 5ESS (National ISDN) and AT&T 5ESS (Multipoint Custom ISDN) switch type

Enter the SPID in the A1 text box only.

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SPID	
A1 019876532001	
A2	
B1	
B2	
C1	
C2	

Auto SPID Save Cancel

For the NTI DMS-100 (National ISDN), NTI DMS-100 (Custom ISDN), AT&T 5ESS (National ISDN) switch type

Enter the different SPID numbers in the A1 and A2 text boxes.

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SPID	
A1 019876543001	
A2 019876544001	
B1	
B2	
C1	
C2	

Auto SPID Save Cancel

For the AT&T 5ESS (Point-to-Point Custom ISDN) switch type

You do not need to set up the SPID, then no entry in the A1 and A2 (B1 and B2, C1 and C2, depending on the number of lines you use) is required.

Note

If you connect 4-6 ISDN lines, the D1-F2 text boxes are shown in Page 3 and Page 7 of the ISDN Setup menu. Fill in the boxes following steps 3 and 4.

- After the settings are completed, select "Save", then press the PUSH ENTER button.

LAN Setup Menu

When you conduct a conference via a LAN, set the items in the LAN Setup menu.

For details on the settings, consult with the network administrator.

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LAN Setup

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DHCP Mode	Auto
Host Name	
IP Address	
Network Mask	
Gateway Address	
DNS Address	

Save Cancel

DHCP Mode

Selects whether DHCP (Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol) server is enabled or not.

Auto: The IP address and network mask are automatically assigned.

In this case, confirm the assigned IP address, network mask, gateway address, and DNS address in the launcher menu or the Machine Information menu after the LAN connection is completed.

Off: Sets “DHCP Mode” to “Off”. In this case, enter the IP address, network mask, gateway address and DNS address.

Host Name

Enter the host name.

IP address

Enter the IP address.

Network Mask

Enter the network mask.

Gateway Address

Enter the default gateway address.

DNS Address

Enter the DNS (Domain Name System) address.

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The screenshot shows the second page of the LAN Setup configuration. The page title is "LAN Setup" and the page number is "2/5". The configuration fields are as follows:

Gatekeeper Mode	Auto
Gatekeeper Address	[Text Box]
User Alias	[Text Box]
User Number	[Text Box]

At the bottom are "Save" and "Cancel" buttons.

Gatekeeper Mode

Sets whether you use the gatekeeper that controls access to a LAN.

Using the gatekeeper allows you to dial using the user name or user number.

On: Enables use of the gatekeeper.

Off: Disables use of the gatekeeper.

Auto: Detects the gatekeeper automatically and uses it.

Gatekeeper Address

Enter the gatekeeper address used when “Gatekeeper Mode” is set to “On”.

User Alias

Enter the user name (H.323 alias) to be registered in the gatekeeper.

User Number

Enter the user number (E.164 number) to be registered in the gatekeeper.

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The screenshot shows the third page of the LAN Setup configuration. The page title is "LAN Setup" and the page number is "3/5". The configuration fields are as follows:

SNMP Mode	On
Trap Destination	[Text Box]
Community	Public
Description	Videoconference Device
Location	[Text Box]
Contact	[Text Box]

At the bottom are "Save" and "Cancel" buttons.

SNMP Mode

Selects whether the SNMP (Simple Network Management Protocol) agent service is enabled or not.

On: Enables the SNMP agent service.

Off: Disables the SNMP agent service.

Trap Destination

Enter the address of the trap destination SNMP manager.

Community

Enter the community name managed by the SNMP manager. The default setting is “public”. Normally, there is no need to change.

Description

Enter the description of this terminal. The default setting is “Videoconference Device” and cannot be changed.

Location

Enter the location where this terminal is installed.

Contact

Enter information on the administrator of this terminal.

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The screenshot shows the LAN Setup page with the following settings:

- NAT Mode: On
- NAT Address: (empty text field)
- Packet Resend Request: On
- Adaptive Rate Control: On

Buttons at the bottom: Save, Cancel.

NAT Mode

Selects whether you connect the system to a local network using NAT (Network Address Translation) that enables sharing of one IP address for multiple computers on the same LAN.

On: Enables NAT mode.
Off: Disables NAT mode.

NAT Address

Enter the IP address of a global network to be used for NAT mode.

Packet Resend Request

Selects whether or not to request to resend the packet when a packet loss occurs during communication.

On: Requests resending a packet.
Off: Does not request resending a packet.

Adaptive Rate Control

Sets whether or not to always optimize the LAN bandwidth.

On: Always optimizes.
Off: Disables optimization of the LAN bandwidth.

Note

This item is enabled only when "Packet Resend Request" is set to "Off". When "Packet Resend Request" is set to "On", this item is always set to "On".

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The screenshot shows the LAN Setup page with the following settings:

- Port Number Used: Default
- TCP Port Number: (empty text field)
- UDP Port Number: (empty text field)

Buttons at the bottom: Save, Cancel.

Port Number Used

Selects whether or not to fix the TCP port number and UDP port number.

Custom: Uses the port numbers set by the user.

Default: Uses the default port numbers, 2253 for the TCP port number and 49152 for the UDP port number.

TCP Port Number

When "Port Number Used" is set to "Custom", enter the TCP port number.

UDP Port Number

When "Port Number Used" is set to "Custom", enter the UDP port number.

Machine Information Menu

The Machine Information menu shows the versions of the Communication Terminal and the connected equipment for exclusive use, installed software versions, etc.

The screenshot shows the Machine Information menu with the following data:

Host Version	VerX.XX
ISDN UNIT Version	VerX.XX
DSB Version	VerX.XX
DSP Version	VerX.XX
Software Option	Multipoint(H.323)
Option IF	DSB, ISDN UNIT
Host Name	PCS-1
IP Address	0.0.0.0
MAC Address	00-00-00-00-00-00
Serial Number	12345
End	

Host Version

Displays the software version of the Communication Terminal.

ISDN UNIT Version

Displays the version of the connected PCS-B768 ISDN Unit.

DSB Version

Displays the version of the connected PCS-DSB1 Data Solution Box.

DSP Version

Displays the version of the built-in DSP (Digital Signal Processor) for audio/video codec.

Software Option

Displays the optional MCU software installed.

None: No MCU software is installed.
Multipoint (H.323): The PCS-323M1 H.323 MCU software (for LAN) is installed.

Multipoint (H.320): The PCS-320M1 H.320 MCU software (for ISDN) is installed.

Multipoint (H.323 & H.320): Both the PCS-323M1 and PCS-320M1 MCU software are installed.

Option I/F

Displays the optional connected equipment.

None: No optional equipment is connected.
ISDN UNIT: The PCS-B768 ISDN Unit is connected.

DSB: The PCS-DSB1 Data Solution Box is connected.

Whiteboard: A whiteboard is connected.

Host Name

Enter the host name.

IP Address

Enter the IP address.

MAC Address

Enter the MAC address.

Serial Number

Displays the serial number.

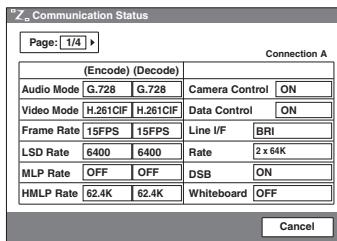
Communication Status Menu

The Communication Status menu shows the current status of communication.

The ISDN or LAN status will also be displayed depending on the line interface used.

Communication Status

One page for each point connected to the system will be displayed. The connected point is shown at the upper right corner of the page as “Connection A (or B, C,...)”. The terminal’s name of the point is also displayed at its side.

**Camera Control**

Shows whether control of each other’s camera is enabled or not.

Data Control

Shows whether the T.120 data conference is enabled or not.

Line I/F

Displays the line interface you are using.

Rate

Displays the number of lines connected and a transmission rate during communication.

DSB

Shows whether the Data Solution Box is connected or not.

Whiteboard

Shows whether the mimio Xi attached to your whiteboard is enabled.

The items below are shown both in the columns for “Encode” and “Decode”. The descriptions under “Encode” show the

setting status on the local system and those under “Decode” show the status on receiving.

Audio Mode

Shows the current audio compression format.

Video Mode

Shows the current video compression format.

Note

The audio compression and video compression formats used for communication with a remote party may differ from the settings in this menu, depending on the status of videoconferencing system on the remote site.

Frame Rate

Shows the maximum frame rate of motion pictures.

LSD Rate

Shows the LSD (Low Speed Data) rate.

MLP Rate

Shows the MLP (Multi Layer Protocol) rate.

HMLP Rate

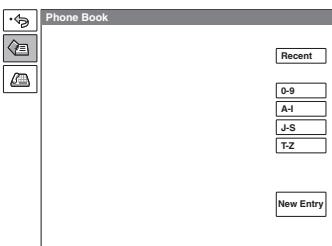
Shows the HMLP (High Speed Multi Layer Protocol) rate.

Registering a Remote Party – Phone Book

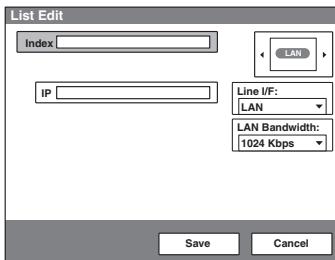
You can register the telephone number or IP address of a remote party in the Phone Book, allowing you to dial the party very easily. Up to 500 remote parties can be registered in the Phone Book. You can also store a still image such as a participant’s portrait in the index list.

Registering a New Remote Party

- 1 Use the **↑**, **↓**, **◀** or **▶** button on the Remote Commander to select “Phone Book” in the launcher menu, then press the PUSH ENTER button. The Phone Book menu opens.



- 2 Use the **↑**, **↓**, **◀** or **▶** button to select “New Entry”, then press the PUSH ENTER button. The List Edit menu appears.



3 Enter the name of a remote party in the Index text box.

For character input, see “Entering Characters” on page 35.

4 Select the line interface you are using to connect to a remote party with “Line I/F”.

LAN: Connects to a videoconferencing system on the remote site via a LAN.

ISDN: Connects to a videoconferencing system on the remote site via an ISDN line.

ISDN (Telephone): Connects to a phone on the remote site via an ISDN line for a voice meeting.

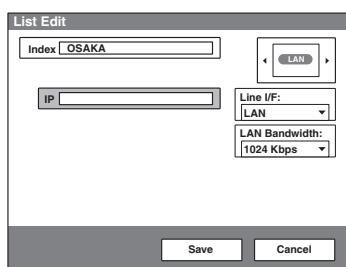
❖ **LAN:** Connects to multipoints for a multipoint videoconference via LAN.

❖ **ISDN:** Connects to multipoints for a multipoint videoconference via ISDN lines.

The List Edit menu switches according to the selected line interface.

5 Set up various items for the line on a remote site.

When “LAN” is selected in step 4

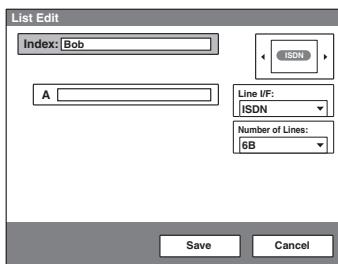


① Enter the IP address of the remote party.

Enter the host name and domain name when using the DNS server (ex. host.domain). When using the gatekeeper, enter the user name and user number registered in the LAN Setup menu (page 49).

② Select the LAN bandwidth to be used.

When “ISDN” or “ISDN (Telephone)” is selected in step 4



① Enter the telephone number of the remote party in the telephone number text box beside “A”.

When entering a sub-address, enter an asterisk (*) between the telephone number and sub-address. Only numerals are usable for a sub-address.

When “More Options Enable” is set to “On” in the Dial Setup menu (page 39), the A1, A2, B1, B2, C1 and C2 text boxes appear. Enter the number of the remote party in the A1 text box.

② Select the number of the ISDN channels to be used for dialing.

6 Select the line interface icon or a still image stored in a “Memory Stick” to be registered in the Phone Book.



Press the **◀** or **▶** button to select the icon or a still image, then press the PUSH ENTER button.

Note

You cannot select a still image unless a “Memory Stick” in which the still image is stored is inserted.

7 Use the **↑**, **↓**, **◀** or **▶** button to select “Save”, then press the PUSH ENTER button.
The settings are registered in the Phone Book.

To connect to the remote party without using BONDING

If the videoconferencing system of the remote party is not equipped with the BONDING function, entering one telephone number does not allow you to connect all the line numbers used to connect to the remote party. To connect to the remote party by entering all the ISDN line numbers used, you can set the connection without using the BONDING function of this system.

Set “More Options Enable” to “On” in the Dial Setup menu (page 39), select the More Options button at the lower part of the List Edit menu to open the Dial Setup menu, then set “Bonding” to “Auto”. The A1, A2, B1, B2, C1 and C2 text boxes appear in the List Edit menu. Enter all the telephone numbers for the ISDN lines selected by “Number of Lines”. Up to 6B-channel connection is available when using this method.

To set up more detailed options

When “More Options Enable” is set to “On” in the Dial Setup menu, the More Options button is shown at the lower part of the List Edit menu.

Select the More Options button with the **↑**, **↓**, **◀** or **▶** button and press the PUSH ENTER button to open the Dial Setup menu. You can change the settings of the desired items.

Note

The contents set with the More Options button have priority over those set in the Dial Setup menu.

Changing the Contents of the Phone Book

You can change the telephone number, IP address, name or setting registered in the Phone Book.

- 1 Open the Phone Book menu.
- 2 Use the **↑**, **↓**, **◀** or **▶** button to select the remote party to be changed in the Phone Book menu, then press the PUSH ENTER button.
The submenu appears.

Dial
Edit
Copy
Delete

- 3 Press the **↑** or **↓** button to select “Edit”, then press the PUSH ENTER button.
The List Edit menu appears.
- 4 Change the telephone number, IP address, name or setting.
- 5 Use the **↑**, **↓**, **◀** or **▶** button to select “Save”, then press the PUSH ENTER button.
The correction is completed.

Deleting the Registered Remote Party

Follow the procedure below to delete the remote party from the Phone Book.

- 1** Open the Phone Book menu.
- 2** Use the **↑**, **↓**, **◀** or **▶** button to select the remote party to be deleted in the Phone Book menu, then press the PUSH ENTER button.
The submenu appears.
- 3** Press the **↑** or **↓** button to select “Delete”, then press the PUSH ENTER button.
The message “Delete List?” appears.
- 4** Use the **↑**, **↓**, **◀** or **▶** button to select “OK”, then press the PUSH ENTER button.
The selected party is deleted.

To cancel deleting

Select “Cancel” in step 4, then press the PUSH ENTER button.

Copying the Setting of the Phone Book Menu

- 1** Open the Phone Book menu.
- 2** Use the **↑**, **↓**, **◀** or **▶** button to select the remote party to be copied in the Phone Book menu, then press the PUSH ENTER button.
The submenu appears.
- 3** Press the **↑** or **↓** button to select “Copy”, then press the PUSH ENTER button.
The items for the selected party are copied, and the file name is followed by “-2”. You can use the setting after modifying the necessary items.

Chapter 3: Daily Videoconference

This chapter describes how to conduct a videoconference from start to finish after the administrator has completed various registrations and settings for the system.

The videoconference explained here is a point-to-point conference via a LAN connection or ISDN connection using the optional PCS-B768 ISDN Unit.

For use of a “Memory Stick” or optional equipment, see Chapter 4. To conduct a data conference using the optional PCS-DSBI Data Solution Box, see Chapter 5. To conduct a multipoint conference, see Chapter 7.

Starting a Conference by Calling a Remote Party

You can start a videoconference with a remote party by dialing. Once you have made a connection to the remote party, you can begin talking just as with a normal phone call and start a videoconference.

Turning on the Power

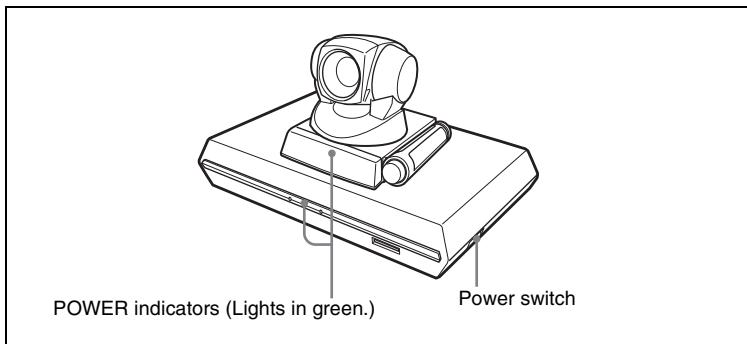
1 Turn on the TV monitor.

When the IR repeater is inserted under the remote sensor of the Sony TV, set the TV to standby mode. When the power of the Communication Terminal is turned on, the TV monitor will turn on simultaneously.

2 Turn on other equipment you are using for the videoconference.

3 Set the power switch on the right side of the Communication Terminal to on (I).

The Communication Terminal turns on after a while.



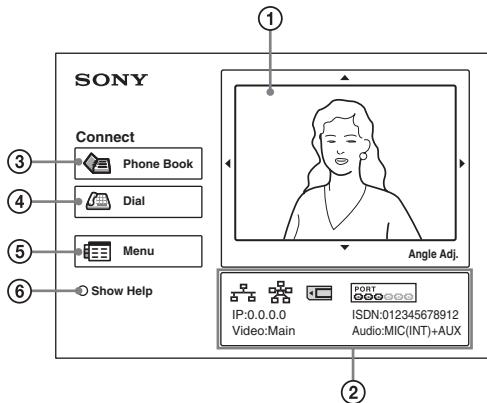
Three indicators on the front of the Communication Terminal and the POWER indicator on the camera light, then only the POWER indicators on both units remain on in green. The launcher menu will appear on the monitor screen and the picture shot by the local camera will also appear in the launcher menu.

Note

After the power is turned on, the camera moves automatically for trial operation. Be careful not to catch your finger.

Using the Launcher Menu

The launcher menu is displayed on the monitor screen when the system is turned on or while it is not connected to a remote party. The launcher menu displays the image shot by the local camera, local system status and buttons to open the menus.



① Screen

The image shot by the local camera is displayed.

② System indicators

The indicators show the current status of the local camera by the icons or letters listed below.

Indicator (icon)	Identification	Description
	LAN status	The indicator is shown in dark when the LAN is enabled to use, and in light when it is disabled.
	Multipoint mode	Multipoint mode is activated.
	Memory Stick	“Memory Stick” is inserted.
	ISDN status	When the optional ISDN Unit is connected, the ISDN port in use is shown.
IP:	IP address	Shows the IP address of the local system.
ISDN:	ISDN telephone number	Shows the ISDN telephone number of the local system.
Video:	Video input	<p>The selected video input on the local system is shown.</p> <p>Main: Picture shot by the Camera Unit.</p> <p>Object: Picture shot by the optional PCS-DS150/DS150P Document Stand.</p> <p>AUX1: Picture output from equipment connected to the VIDEO IN AUX 1 connector.</p> <p>AUX2: Picture output from equipment connected to the VIDEO IN AUX 2 connector.</p>

Indicator (icon)	Identification	Description
Audio:	Audio input	<p>The selected audio input on the local system is shown.</p> <p>MIC (INT): Sound from the built-in microphone.</p> <p>MIC (EXT): Sound from an external microphone connected to the Communication Terminal.</p> <p>MIC (DSB): Sound from an external microphone connected to the optional PCS-DSB1 Data Solution Box.</p> <p>MIC (AUX): Sound from an external microphone connected to the AUX IN jack on the optional PCS-DSB1 Data Solution Box.</p> <p>AUX: Sound from external equipment connected to the AUDIO IN jack on the Communication Terminal.</p> <p>MIC (INT)+AUX: Mixed sounds from the built-in microphone and from external equipment</p> <p>MIC (EXT)+AUX: Mixed sounds from an external microphone connected to the Communication Terminal and from external equipment.</p> <p>MIC (DSB)+AUX: Mixed sounds from an external microphone connected to the optional PCS-DSB1 Data Solution Box and from external equipment.</p> <p>MIC (AUX)+AUX: Mixed sounds from an external microphone connected to the AUX IN jack on the optional PCS-DSB1 Data Solution Box and from external equipment.</p>

③ Phone Book button

The Phone Book menu is displayed when you select this button by pressing the **↑**, **↓**, **◀** or **▶** button and then the PUSH ENTER button on the Remote Commander.

④ Dial button

The Dial menu is displayed when you select this button by pressing the **↑**, **↓**, **◀** or **▶** button and then the PUSH ENTER button on the Remote Commander.

⑤ Menu button

You can display the various Setup menus when you select this button by pressing the **↑**, **↓**, **◀** or **▶** button and then the PUSH ENTER button on the Remote Commander.

⑥ Show Help

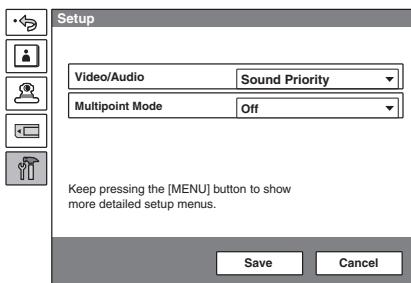
When you press the HELP button on the Remote Commander if “Show Help” is displayed, the guide of each menu appears on the screen. Pressing the HELP button again hides the help guide.

Selecting the Video/Audio Quality Mode

You can select whether priority for video/audio quality is given to still picture, motion picture or sound.

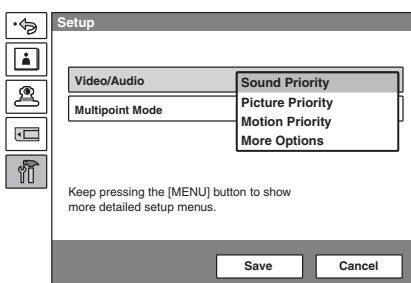
- 1 Press the **↑**, **↓**, **←** or **→** button on the Remote Commander to select “Menu” on the launcher menu, then press the PUSH ENTER button. You can also display the menu by pressing the MENU button on the Remote Commander.

The Setup menu appears.



- 2 Press the **→** button on the Remote Commander to select “Video/Audio”, then press the PUSH ENTER button.

The setting items appear.



- 3 Press the **↑** or **↓** button on the Remote Commander to select the desired mode, then press the PUSH ENTER button.

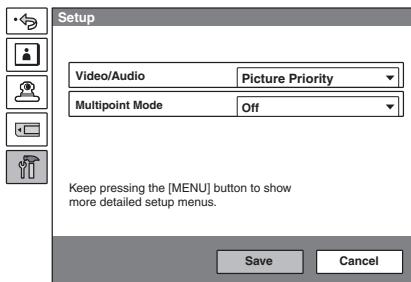
Sound Priority: Select to prefer the sound quality.

Picture Priority: Select to prefer the picture quality.

Motion Priority: Select to give the top priority to motion picture.

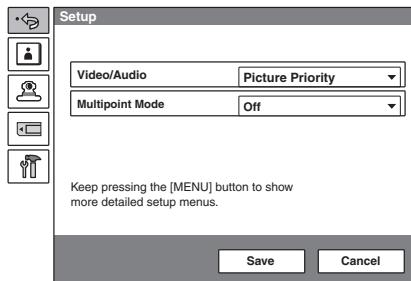
More Options: Select to use the settings in the More Options menu (page 54).

4 Press the **↓** button on the Remote Commander to select “Save”, then press the PUSH ENTER button.



The settings are saved.

5 Use the **↑**, **↓**, **◀** or **▶** button on the Remote Commander to select **◀**, then press the PUSH ENTER button. You may also press the MENU button on the Remote Commander.



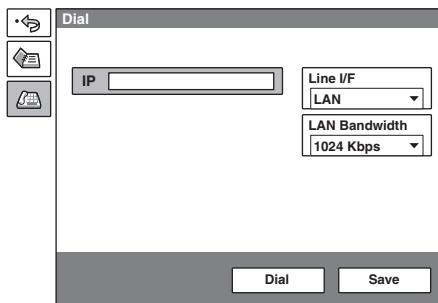
The screen returns to the launcher menu.

Calling a Remote Party

To call a remote party not registered in the Phone Book

1 Use the **↑**, **↓**, **◀** or **▶** button on the Remote Commander to select “Dial”, then press the PUSH ENTER button, or press the CONNECT/DISCONNECT (**■** / **■**) button on the Remote Commander.

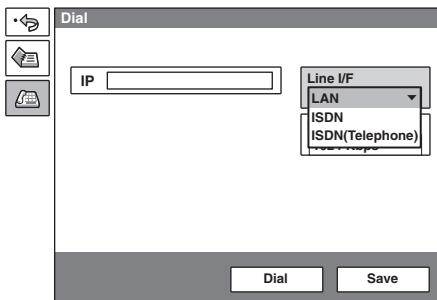
The Dial menu appears on the screen.



Note

Pressing the number buttons on the Remote Commander opens the Dial menu, allowing direct entry of the IP address or the ISDN telephone number with the number buttons.

- 2 Use the **↑**, **↓**, **◀** or **▶** button to select “Line I/F”, then press the PUSH ENTER button. The submenu appears. Press the **↑** or **↓** button to select the line interface used to connect to the remote party, then press the PUSH ENTER button.



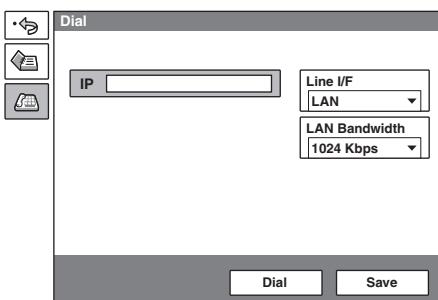
LAN: Connects to the videoconferencing system of a remote party via a LAN.

ISDN: Connects to the videoconferencing system of a remote party via an ISDN.

ISDN (Telephone): Connects to the phone of a remote party to conduct a voice meeting via the ISDN connection.

- 3 Configure the LAN, or ISDN line.

When using the LAN



① Enter the IP address of a remote party to connect in the IP text box.

Use the **▲**, **▼**, **◀** or **▶** button on the Remote Commander to select the IP text box, then press the PUSH ENTER button. Then enter the IP address with the number buttons on the Remote Commander. Enter the host name and domain name when using the DNS server in the IP text box (ex. host.domain). When using the gatekeeper, enter the user name and user number registered in the LAN Setup menu (page 49).

Notes

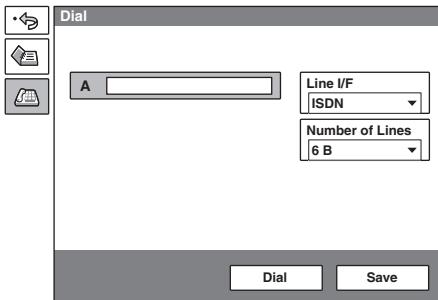
- You can enter a dot (.) with the **▶** or **#** button on the Remote Commander.
- To correct the entered number, press the PinP (BACK SPACE) button on the Remote Commander. The last entered number is deleted.
- To delete the entered IP address, press the DISPLAY (CLEAR) button on the Remote Commander.

② Select the LAN bandwidth.

Use the **▲**, **▼**, **◀** or **▶** button to select “LAN Bandwidth”, then press the PUSH ENTER button. Press the **▲** or **▼** button to select the bandwidth from the displayed submenu, then press the PUSH ENTER button.

You can choose from among 64 Kbps, 128 Kbps, 384 Kbps, 768 Kbps, 1024 Kbps, 2048 Kbps and Other. When you select “Other”, enter a LAN bandwidth value between 1 and 1024 Kbps.

When using the ISDN



① Enter the telephone number of a remote party to connect to in the **A** text box.

Use the **▲**, **▼**, **◀** or **▶** button on the Remote Commander to select the A text box, then press the PUSH ENTER button. Then enter the telephone number with the number buttons on the Remote Commander.

Notes

- Do not enter the prefix number in the telephone number text box.
- Even when you connect multiple ISDN lines (2B or more number of lines), entering one telephone number of the remote party enables you to connect all the lines used automatically.
- To correct the entered number, press the PinP (BACK SPACE) button on the Remote Commander. The last entered number is deleted.

- To delete the entered ISDN telephone number, press the DISPLAY (CLEAR) button on the Remote Commander.

② Select the number of channels connected when setting up a call.

Use the **↑, ↓, ← or →** button on the Remote Commander to select “Number of Lines”, then press the PUSH ENTER button. Press the **↑** or **↓** button to select the number of channels to be used when calling a remote party from the displayed submenu, then press the PUSH ENTER button. You can select from among 1B, 2B, 3B, 4B, 5B, 6B, 8B and 12B channels.

Note

To connect to the remote party by entering all the telephone numbers for the ISDN lines used

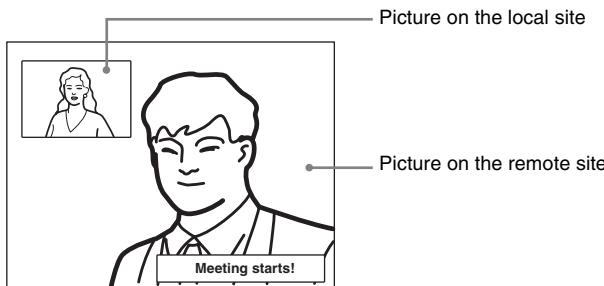
If the videoconferencing system of the remote party is not equipped with the BONDING function, entering one remote party’s telephone number does not allow automatic connection of multiple ISDN lines used to connect to the remote party. To connect to the remote party by entering all the telephone numbers, register the remote party’s telephone numbers for the ISDN lines to be used referring to “Registering a Remote Party – Phone Book” in Chapter 2 (page 52), then connect to the remote party according to the procedure described in “To call a remote party registered in the Phone Book” (page 65).

4 Use the **↑, ↓, ← or →** button to select “Dial” in the lower part of the menu, then press the PUSH ENTER button, or press the CONNECT/Disconnect ( / ) button on the Remote Commander.

The system begins dialing the IP address or ISDN telephone number entered in step 3. “Dialing (LAN)” or “Dialing (ISDN)” appears on the monitor screen, and the ON LINE indicator (blue) on the Communication Terminal blinks.

When the system connects to the remote system, the message “Meeting starts!” appears on the screen, and the ON LINE indicator stops blinking and lights in blue.

Now you can start a videoconference.



To cancel dialing before connecting

Press the **↑, ↓, ← or →** button to select “Cancel”, then press the PUSH ENTER button, or press the CONNECT/Disconnect ( / ) button.

To save the entered IP address or ISDN line number in the Phone Book

Select “Save” with the **↑**, **↓**, **◀** or **▶** button, then press the PUSH ENTER button on the Remote Commander. The address or number you entered is saved in the Phone Book and the List Edit menu is displayed.

For details on the List Edit menu, see “Registering a Remote Party – Phone Book” on page 52.

Redial function

Once you have input the IP address or ISDN line number using the Dial menu, it will be entered in the text box of the Dial menu the next time you open the menu.

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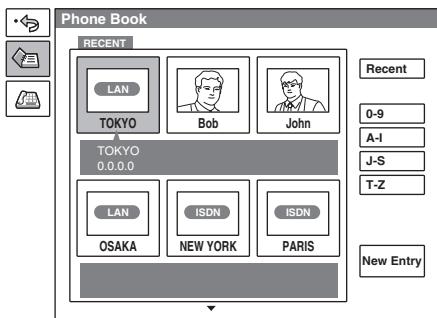
The redial function is not available:

- Once you have turned off the power of the system or set it to standby mode.
- When you cancel dialing the entered IP address or ISDN telephone number.
- When you open the Dial menu by pressing the number buttons on the Remote Commander.

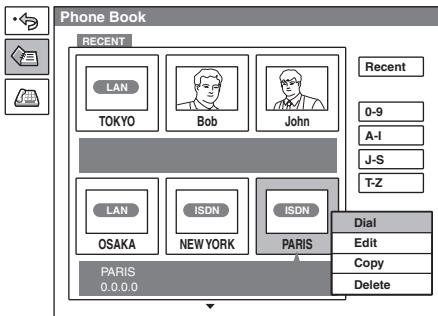
To call a remote party registered in the Phone Book

- 1 Use the **↑**, **↓**, **◀** or **▶** button on the Remote Commander to select “Phone Book” in the launcher menu, then press the PUSH ENTER button.

The Phone Book menu appears on the monitor screen.



2 Use the **↑**, **↓**, **◀** or **▶** button on the Remote Commander to select a remote party from the Phone Book, then press the PUSH ENTER button. The submenu appears.



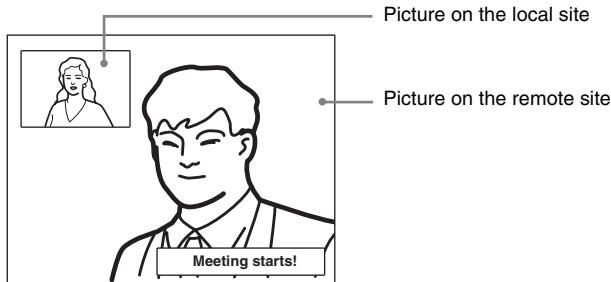
If the desired remote party does not appear, see “To search for a remote party in the Phone Book” on page 66.

3 Use the **↑** or **↓** button on the Remote Commander to select “Dial”, then press the PUSH ENTER button, or press the CONNECT/DISCONNECT (**¶** / **■**) button on the Remote Commander.

The system begins dialing the party selected in step 2. “Dialing (LAN)” or “Dialing (ISDN)” appears on the monitor screen, and the ON LINE indicator (blue) on the Communication Terminal blinks.

When the System connects to the system on the remote site, the message “Meeting starts!” appears on the screen, and the ON LINE indicator stops blinking and lights in blue.

Now you can start the videoconference.



To cancel dialing before connecting

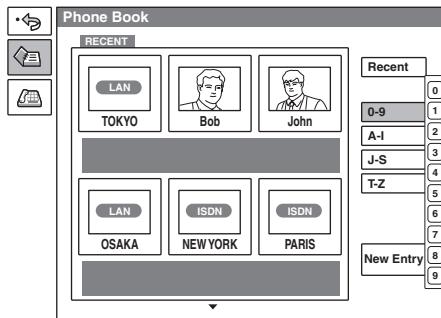
Press the **↑**, **↓**, **◀** or **▶** button to select “Cancel”, then press the PUSH ENTER button, or press the CONNECT/DISCONNECT (**¶** / **■**) button on the Remote Commander.

To search for a remote party in the Phone Book

The Phone Book displays the list of the six parties at a time.

When you select “Recent”, the Phone Book lists the six names you have most recently dialed.

Selecting the “0-9”, “A-I”, “J-S” or “T-Z” tab opens the submenu. When you select the desired number or letter from the corresponding submenu, the Phone Book lists the six party names which start with the selected number or letter.



Note

You can also display the list of the remote parties which start with the selected number using the number buttons on the Remote Commander.

Receiving a Call from a Remote Party

Operations for answering a call differ depending on the setting of the answer mode.

Auto answer mode

The system automatically receives a call from a remote party and you can start conferencing. Although no operation is necessary to start, the picture on the local site will be displayed on the remote site screen even if you are not ready to begin.

Manual answer mode

When there is an incoming call, the Communication Terminal rings. You need to connect the call manually before starting the conference.

You can start it whenever you are ready.

Notes

- You cannot answer the call unless the power switch on the Communication Terminal is set to on (I).
- Make sure that the TV monitor is turned on. If you insert the IR repeater under the remote sensor on the Sony TV, set the TV to standby mode.

For setting of the answer mode, see “Auto Answer Mode” in the Answer Setup menu on page 39.

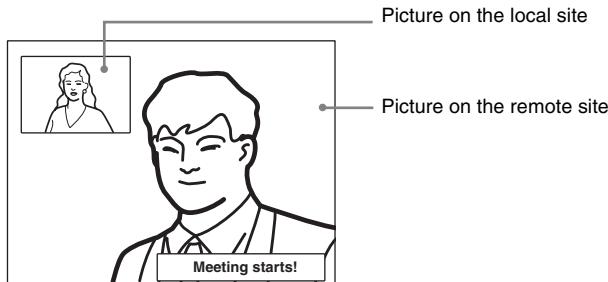
Answering a Call from a Remote Party

To answer a call in auto answer mode

When you receive a call, the Communication Terminal rings and the message “Incoming Call” appears on the monitor screen. The system is automatically connected and the picture of the remote party is displayed on the local monitor screen and the sound is heard. The picture and sound on the local site will be enabled on the remote site at the same time.

The message “Meeting starts!” appears on the monitor screen.

You are now ready to start a conference.



Note

See pages 71 to 84 to adjust the sound and picture during the conference.

To receive a call in manual answer mode

When you receive a call, the Communication Terminal rings and the message “Incoming call. Respond?” appears on the monitor screen.

Press **◀** or **▶** to select “OK”, then press the PUSH ENTER button. The system is then connected. Once the connection is made, the picture of the remote party is displayed on the local monitor screen and the sound is heard. The picture and sound on the local site will be enabled on the remote site at the same time.

The message “Meeting starts!” appears on the monitor screen.

You are now ready to start a conference.

Note

See pages 71 to 84 to adjust the sound and picture during the conference.

When you do not want to answer the call

Press **◀** or **▶** to select “Cancel”, then press the PUSH ENTER button. Ringing stops.

When the system fails to make an ISDN connection

If the system fails to connect to the remote party, the message “Cannot complete connection (an ISDN cause code and a message are displayed here)” appears on the monitor screen.

For details on ISDN cause codes and messages, see “On Screen Messages” on page 161.

When there is an incoming call during communication over a different line interface

If you receive a call via an ISDN when you are in communication via a LAN (or vice versa), the system becomes busy.

To display an elapsed communication time

You can display an elapsed communication time on the monitor screen if “Time Display” in the General Setup menu is set to “On”.

To turn the indicator off, set “Time Display” in the General Setup menu to “Off”.

For “Time Display” setting, see “General Setup Menu” on page 43.

Ending the Conference

- 1 Press the CONNECT/DISCONNECT ( / ) button on the Remote Commander.
The message “Disconnect?” appears on the monitor screen.
- 2 Press the  or  button on the Remote Commander to select “OK”, then press the PUSH ENTER button, or press the CONNECT/DISCONNECT ( / ) button on the Remote Commander.
The system is disconnected.

Note

The power of the Communication Terminal remains on even if the system is disconnected.

To cancel disconnection of the system

Select “Cancel” with the  or  button, then press the PUSH ENTER button.

To register the connected remote party in the Phone Book

You can easily register the remote party who has just disconnected. If you set “Last Number Registration” in the General Setup menu to “On”, the message “Register this participant in the list?” appears after a conference with an unregistered remote party is finished. When you select “OK”, the Edit List menu appears.

Note

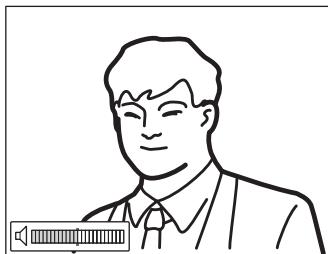
If the “Last Number Registration” is set to “Off”, the message does not appear.

For “Last Number Registration” setting, see “Last Number Registration” on page 44.

Adjusting the Sound

Adjusting the Volume

You can adjust the volume of the sound to be received from a remote party. Press the VOLUME + button on the Remote Commander to increase the volume, VOLUME – button to decrease it. The volume level indicator appears on the monitor screen. The indicator will automatically disappear if you do not operate the buttons for a certain time.



Notes

- You need to set the volume of the TV monitor to an appropriate level first.
- If feedback caused by increasing the volume occurs, decrease the volume.

Cutting Off the Sound Momentarily – Muting Function

You can momentarily cut off the sound to be sent to the remote party. Press the MIC ON/OFF button on the Remote Commander. The sound of the local party is not heard by the remote party. The “MIC OFF” indicator appears on the monitor screen.



To restore the sound

Press the MIC ON/OFF button again.

The “MIC OFF” indicator disappears and the sound is heard by the remote party.

Synchronizing Audio and Video – Lip Sync Function

During the conference a time lag may occur between the sound and picture to be sent to the remote party.

When you set “Lip Sync” to “On” in the Audio Setup menu, the system adjusts to synchronize audio and video. However, this may delay transmission of audio synchronized with video.

For the Lip Sync setting, see “Audio Setup Menu” on page 42.

Note

To enable the Lip Sync function of the remote party, you have to ask them to do so.

Reducing Echo – Echo Canceler

The Communication Terminal is equipped with the Echo Canceler, allowing the echo that occurs during audio transmission to be reduced.

Setting “Echo Canceler” to “Internal” in the Audio Setup menu activates the built-in echo canceler. If you set it to “External”, you can activate the echo canceler of the equipment connected to the system.

For the “Echo Canceler” setting, see “Audio Setup Menu” on page 42.

Adjusting the Camera

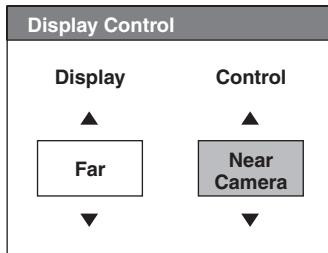
You can adjust the image shot by the local camera that is sent to the remote party to obtain the desired angle and size.

During communication you can also control the camera on the remote site to adjust the image shot by the remote camera.

Selecting the Camera to be Controlled

Before adjustment, choose whether you control the local or remote camera.

- 1 Press the FAR/NEAR button on the Remote Commander.
The Display Control menu appears.
- 2 Press the \blacktriangleleft or \triangleright button on the Remote Commander to select “Control”, then switch between “Far” and “Near” with the \blacktriangleup or \blacktriangledown button.



- 3 Press the PUSH ENTER button on the Remote Commander.
When “Far” is selected (the remote camera is selected), the FAR indicator is displayed.
When “Near” is selected (the local camera is selected), the FAR indicator does not appear.

Notes

- You cannot control the remote camera unless “Far End Camera Control” is set to “On” in the Dial Setup menu at a dialing party and the same item in the Answer Setup menu is set to “On” at an answering party.
- You cannot control the remote camera during a session if the remote control format of the remote camera is not H.281. If you cannot control the remote camera, ask the remote party about the remote control format of his camera.
- If the local and remote parties try to control the same camera at the same time, the camera may not operate correctly.

Adjusting the Camera Angle and Zoom

Determine the angle of view and the size of the picture to be displayed on the monitor screen by adjusting the angle and zoom.

You can make adjustments in the monitor screen during communication and in the launcher menu when not in communication. You can also make adjustments using the Camera menu.

To make adjustment during communication

- 1 Select the camera you want to adjust.

Press the FAR/NEAR button on the Remote Commander to open the Display Control menu, then select “Far” or “Near” under “Control”.

- 2 Press the \uparrow , \downarrow , \leftarrow or \rightarrow button to adjust the camera angle.

The picture whose camera angle is adjusted is displayed in the small window or in full screen.



- 3 Use the ZOOM button to zoom in or out.

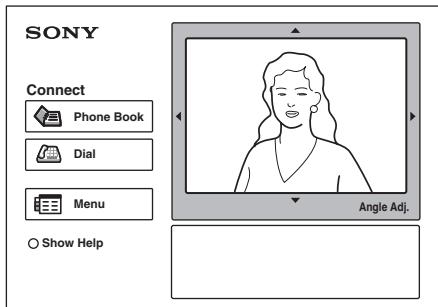
Press the ZOOM T (Telephoto) button to zoom in (to enlarge image), and the ZOOM W (Wide angle) button to zoom out (to obtain wider range of image).

To make adjustment using the launcher menu while not in communication

You can adjust the camera angle and zoom of the picture on the local site only.

- 1 Use the \uparrow , \downarrow , \leftarrow or \rightarrow button to select the screen (screen frame becomes yellow), then press the PUSH ENTER button.

The color of the screen frame changes, then you can adjust the camera angle and zoom.

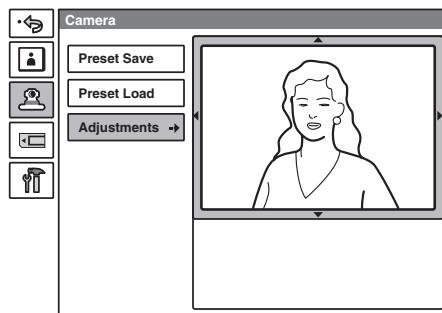


- 2 Press the **↑**, **↓**, **◀** or **▶** button to adjust the camera angle so that the desired angle of view is obtained.
- 3 Use the ZOOM button to zoom in or out.
Press the ZOOM T button to zoom in (to enlarge image), and the ZOOM W button to zoom out (to obtain wider range of image).
- 4 Press the PUSH ENTER button.

To make adjustment using the Camera menu

- 1 Press the MENU button on the Remote Commander to display the Setup menu, then press the **↑** or **↓** button to select (camera) icon.
The Camera menu appears.
- 2 Use the **↑**, **↓**, **◀** or **▶** button to select “Adjustments”, then press the PUSH ENTER button.

The color of the screen frame changes, then you can adjust the camera angle and zoom.



- 3 While in communication, press the FAR/NEAR button on the Remote Commander to select the camera to be adjusted.
When the remote camera is selected, the FAR indicator is displayed.

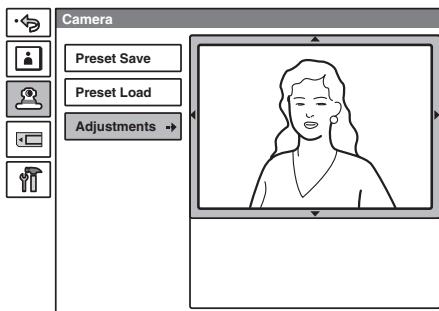
- 4 Press the **↑**, **↓**, **←** or **→** button to adjust the camera angle so that the desired angle of view is obtained.
- 5 Use the ZOOM button to zoom in or out.
Press the ZOOM T button to zoom in (to enlarge image), and the ZOOM W button to zoom out (to obtain wider range of image).
- 6 Press the PUSH ENTER button.

Adjusting the Focus and Brightness

Normally, the focus and brightness are automatically adjusted to obtain optimum levels. You can also adjust them manually.
It is recommended that the focus and brightness be adjusted automatically.

To set the system to camera adjustment mode

- 1 Press the MENU button on the Remote Commander to display the Setup menu, then press the **↑** or **↓** button to select the  (camera) icon.
The Camera menu appears.
- 2 Use the **↑**, **↓**, **←** or **→** button to select “Adjustments”, then press the PUSH ENTER button.
The color of the screen frame changes, then you can adjust the camera angle and zoom.
The guidance for operations will be displayed under the screen.



- 3 While in communication, press the FAR/NEAR button on the Remote Commander to select the camera to be adjusted.
When the remote camera is selected, the FAR indicator is displayed.

Note

When the remote camera is selected, only manual focus adjustment is available.

To display the picture to fill the monitor screen

To display the picture in full screen while the Camera menu is displayed, select “Adjustments”, then press the PinP button on the Remote Commander. To cancel the full screen mode, press the RETURN button or PinP button on the Remote Commander.

To adjust the focus automatically

Press the number button 0 on the Remote Commander.

The “Auto Camera” indicator appears and the focus is automatically adjusted.

To adjust the focus manually

Press the $\# \leftarrow$ button on the Remote Commander repeatedly to move the focus point further away from the camera. The “Focus Far” indicator is displayed.

Press the $* \leftarrow$ button on the Remote Commander repeatedly to move the focus point closer to the camera. The “Focus Near” indicator is displayed.

To adjust the brightness

Press the number button 9 on the Remote Commander repeatedly to make the picture brighter. The “Brightness +” indicator is displayed.

Press the “7” button on the Remote Commander repeatedly to make the picture darker. The “Brightness -” indicator is displayed.

To shoot the picture with backlight compensation

Use backlight compensation when shooting a subject with bright background.

Each time you press the number button 8, the backlight compensation is activated or deactivated. When it is activated, the “Backlight On” indicator is displayed. When it is deactivated, the “Backlight Off” indicator is displayed.

Presetting the Angle and Zoom Settings

Up to six settings for camera angle and zoom can be registered in the preset memory. Once you have stored the settings, you can easily recall them to move the camera.

You can preset the settings in the monitor screen while in communication, and in the launcher menu while not in communication. You can also do so using the Camera menu.

To preset the setting in the monitor screen while in communication

- 1 Select the camera whose camera angle and zoom setting you want to preset.

Press the FAR/NEAR button on the Remote Commander to open the Display Control menu, then select “Far” or “Near” under “Control”.

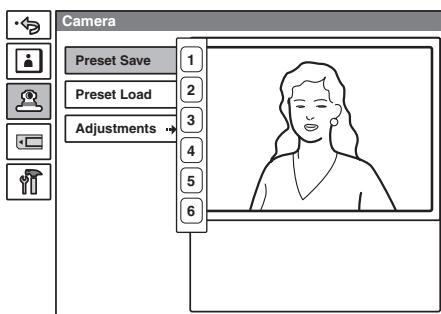
- 2** Adjust the camera angle and zoom.
Use the **↑, ↓, ← or →** button to adjust the camera angle, and ZOOM button to adjust the zoom.
- 3** Keep one of the number buttons 1–6 pressed or press the **#** button and one of the 1–6 buttons continuously.
The angle and zoom setting is stored in the selected number button, and the message “Registered to Preset number 1 (–6).” appears.

To preset the setting in the launcher menu while not in communication

- 1** Adjust the camera angle and zoom in the launcher menu.
Use the **↑, ↓, ← or →** button to select the screen and press the PUSH ENTER button, then press the **↑, ↓, ← or →** button to adjust the angle and the ZOOM buttons to adjust the zoom.
- 2** Keep one of the number buttons 1–6 pressed or press the **#** button and one of the 1–6 buttons continuously.
The angle and zoom setting is stored in the selected number button, and the message “Registered to Preset number 1 (–6).” appears.

To preset the setting using the Camera menu

- 1** Press the MENU button on the Remote Commander to display the Setup menu, then press the **↑** or **↓** button to select  (camera) icon.
The Camera menu appears.
- 2** Use the **↑, ↓, ← or →** button on the Remote Commander to select “Preset Save”, then press the PUSH ENTER button.
- 3** Select the preset number (1–6) with the **↑** or **↓** button, then press the PUSH ENTER button.
The color of the screen frame changes, then you can adjust the camera angle and zoom.



- 4** While in communication, select the camera to be adjusted with the FAR/NEAR button on the Remote Commander.

The FAR indicator is displayed on the monitor screen when the remote camera is selected.

5 Adjust the angle and zoom.

Use the \uparrow , \downarrow , \leftarrow or \rightarrow button to adjust the camera angle, and ZOOM button to adjust the zoom.

6 Press the PUSH ENTER button.

The setting is registered in the selected preset number.

Recalling the Preset Angle and Zoom Setting

You can move the camera to the preset position by recalling the preset camera angle and zoom with the monitor screen displayed while in communication.

You can do the same with the launcher menu displayed while not in communication. Using the Camera menu also enables movement of the camera to the preset position.

To recall the preset setting in the monitor screen while in communication

1 Select the camera which you want to move to the preset position.

Press the FAR/NEAR button on the Remote Commander to open the Display Control menu, then select “Far” or “Near” under “Control”.

2 Press one of the number buttons 1–6 on the Remote Commander.

The setting of the selected preset number is recalled, and the camera moves to the preset position. The message “Load a camera angle saved to preset number 1 (-6)” appears.

To recall the preset setting in the launcher menu while not in communication

You can move the local camera to the preset position.

1 Select the screen in the launcher menu, then press the PUSH ENTER button.

2 Press one of the number buttons 1–6 on the Remote Commander.

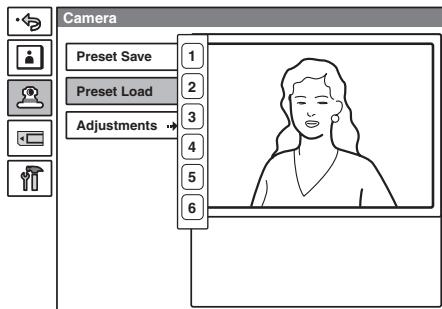
The setting of the selected preset number is recalled, and the camera moves to the preset position. The message “Load a camera angle saved to preset number 1 (-6)” appears.

To recall the preset setting in the Camera menu

1 Display the Camera menu.

2 Use the \uparrow , \downarrow , \leftarrow or \rightarrow button on the Remote Commander to select “Preset Load”, then press the PUSH ENTER button.

3 Press the **↑** or **↓** button to select the preset number (1-6) you want to recall, then press the PUSH ENTER button.



The setting of the preset number is recalled and the camera moves to the position of that setting.

On backup

The built-in lithium battery enables retention of the memories such as preset camera adjustments even if the Communication Terminal is turned off.

Notes

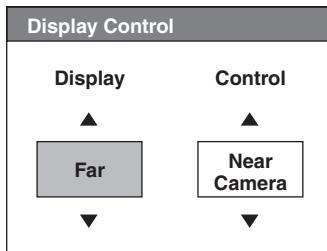
- The built-in lithium battery is kept charged as long as the system is operated. If the system is not used for a long time, the battery is gradually discharged. It will be completely discharged when you do not use the system for 12 weeks. To retain the memories, recharge the battery.
- To recharge the battery, connect the camera to the Communication Terminal and leave both units with the powers on for about 48 hours.

Selecting the Input Picture and Sound

This section describes how to switch the picture displayed on the monitor screen, and how to switch the input picture and sound.

Switching the Displayed Picture Between the Local and Remote Pictures

- 1 Press the FAR/NEAR button on the Remote Commander.
The Display Control menu appears.
- 2 Use the \uparrow , \downarrow , \leftarrow or \rightarrow button on the Remote Commander to select “Near” or “Far” under “Display”.



- 3 Press the PUSH ENTER button on the Remote Commander.

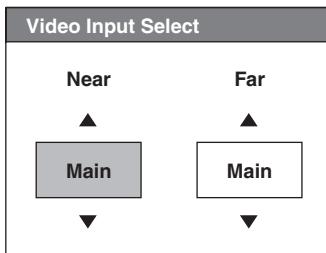
Selecting the Input Picture

To switch the video to be sent to the remote party

- 1 Press the VIDEO INPUT SELECT button on the Remote Commander.
The Video Input Select menu appears.
- 2 Use the \uparrow , \downarrow , \leftarrow or \rightarrow button on the Remote Commander to select the video input on the local site.

Note

While in communication you can switch the video input of the remote system by selecting “Far” in the Video Input Select menu.



Main: Select the picture shot by the Camera.

Object: Select the picture from the optional PCS-DS150/DS150P Document Stand.

AUX 1: Selects the picture from the equipment connected to the VIDEO IN AUX 1 connector.

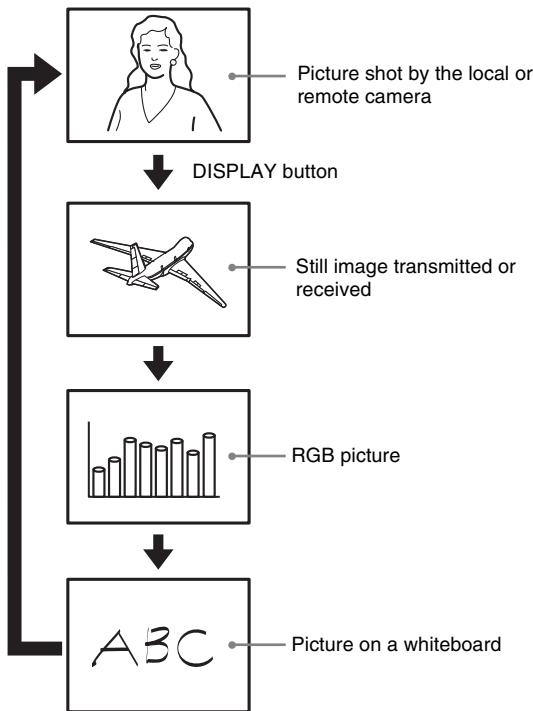
AUX 2: Select the picture from the equipment connected to the VIDEO IN AUX 2 connector.

VCR: Select the picture input from the VCR connected to the system on the remote site. This item does not appear unless the remote system is equipped with the video input select function.

- 3 Press the PUSH ENTER button on the Remote Commander.

Switching the Picture Displayed on the TV Monitor

Each press of the DISPLAY button on the Remote Commander switches the picture displayed on the monitor screen as follows:



Notes

- A still image is displayed only when it has been transmitted or received.
- An RGB picture is displayed only when the RGB signal is transmitted or received to/ from a computer via the optional PCS-DSB1 Data Solution Box connected to the Communication Terminal.
- A picture on a whiteboard is displayed only when notes written on a whiteboard are transmitted or received.

For details, see “Using Audio/Video Signal from the Connected Equipment for a Conference” on page 119 and “Video conferenceing Using a Whiteboard” on page 125.

Switching the Sound to Be Sent to the Remote Party

You can switch the sound sent to the remote party between the sound from the microphone and that from the connected equipment. Use “Input Select” in the Audio Setup menu.

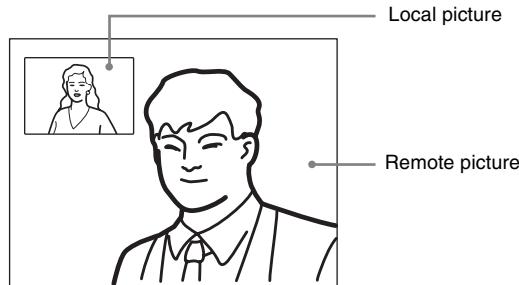
For details on the “Input Select” setting, see page 42.

Monitoring the Local Picture as a Window Picture – PinP Feature

You can display the picture shot by the local camera on your monitor screen as a window picture (**Picture-in-Picture**). This function enables you to check how your own party is monitored on the remote site.

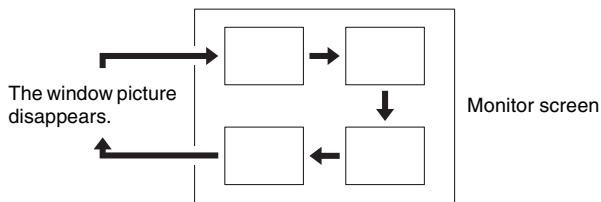
To display the window picture

Press the PinP button on the Remote Commander.
The local picture is displayed as a window picture.



To change the location of the window picture

Each press of the PinP button changes the location of the window as follows:



Notes

- The window picture is displayed in the same location as it was last located. The window picture is not displayed if it was not displayed last.
- The window picture is not available while not in communication with the remote party.

To display the remote picture as a window picture

Press the FAR/NEAR button on the Remote Commander to open the Display Control menu and select “Near” under “Display” when the local picture is displayed as a window picture. The remote picture is displayed as a window picture with the local picture as the main picture.

Chapter 4: Videoconference With Optional Equipment

This chapter describes the various videoconferences using the optional equipment in addition to the components contained in the PCS-1/1P Video Communication System.

To conduct a data conference using the optional PCS-DSB1 Data Solution Box, see Chapter 5.

To conduct a multipoint conference, see Chapter 7.

Note

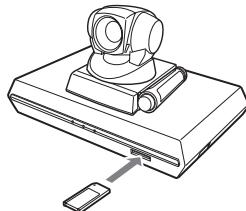
You cannot send or receive still images while in communication using the MPEG4 video mode.

Using Still Images Stored in a “Memory Stick” for a Videoconference

You can display the still images stored in the optional “Memory Stick” or transmit them to a remote party.

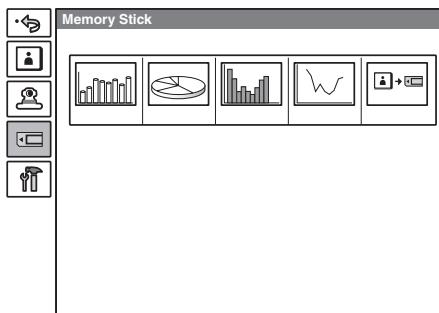
Displaying a Still Image Stored in a “Memory Stick”

- 1 Insert the “Memory Stick” containing the still images into the Memory Stick slot on the Communication Terminal.
Insert the “Memory Stick” in the direction of the arrow with the mark facing upward.



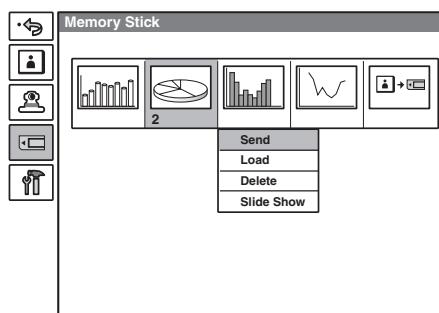
2 Open the Memory Stick menu.

Press the MENU button on the Remote Commander to display the Setup menu, and select  (Memory Stick) icon with the **▲** or **▼** button.



3 Use the **▲**, **▼**, **◀** or **▶** button on the Remote Commander to select the still image you want to display, then press the PUSH ENTER button.

The submenu appears.



4 Use the **▲** or **▼** button to select "Load", then press the PUSH ENTER button.

The menu disappears and the selected still image is displayed on the monitor screen.

To clear the still image from the monitor screen

While the still image is displayed, press the PUSH ENTER button on the Remote Commander. The Memory Stick menu is restored.

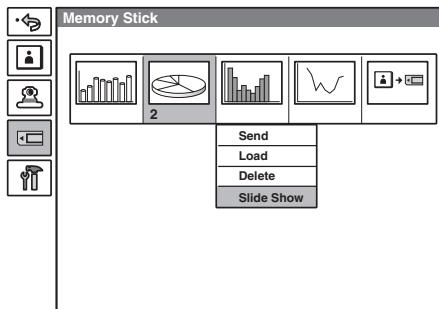
Viewing a slide show

You can view still images stored in a "Memory Stick" slide by slide. (Slide Show)

1 Insert the "Memory Stick" into the Memory Stick slot, and display the Memory Stick menu.

2 Use the **↑**, **↓**, **◀** or **▶** button on the Remote Commander to select a still image from which you want to start a slide show, then press the PUSH ENTER button.

The submenu appears.



3 Use the **↑** or **↓** button on the Remote Commander to select “Slide Show”, then press the PUSH ENTER button.

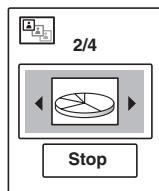
The slide show starts. During communication with a remote party, the still images are transmitted to the remote party.

The  indicator is displayed on the monitor screen during the slide show.

4 Press the **▶** button on the Remote Commander to advance a slide. Pressing the **◀** button goes back to the previous slide.

To select another still image during the slide show

Pressing the PUSH ENTER button during the slide show opens the submenu.



Press the **◀** or **▶** button to select the desired still image, then press the PUSH ENTER button. The selected image is displayed in full screen. During communication it will be transmitted to the remote party.

To stop the slide show

While the submenu is open, select “Stop” with the **↓** button and press the PUSH ENTER button.

While the submenu is not open, press the RETURN button on the Remote Commander. The Memory Stick menu is restored.

To delete a still image

Display the Memory Stick menu, select the still image you want to delete, and press the PUSH ENTER button. Select “Delete” from the displayed submenu with the **↑** or **↓** button, then press the PUSH ENTER button. The selected still image is deleted from the “Memory Stick”.

To remove the “Memory Stick”

Push the “Memory Stick” and release your finger. The “Memory Stick” will come out a little, and you can then remove it.

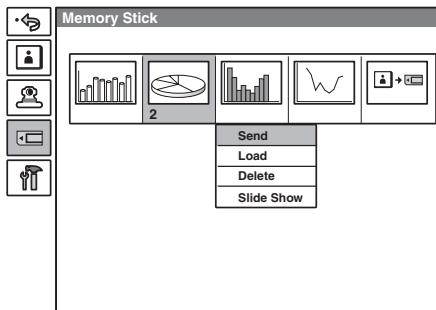
Sending a Still Image Stored in a “Memory Stick”

While in communication, you can send still images stored in a “Memory Stick” to the remote party.

- 1 Insert a “Memory Stick” into the Memory Stick slot on the Communication Terminal, and display the Memory Stick menu.

For how to insert a “Memory Stick” and how to display the Memory Stick menu, see “Displaying a Still Image Stored in a “Memory Stick”” on page 85.

- 2 Use the **↑**, **↓**, **◀** or **▶** button on the Remote Commander to select the still image you want to send, then press the PUSH ENTER button.
The submenu appears.



- 3 Use the **↑** or **↓** button to select “Send”, then press the PUSH ENTER button.

The selected still image is displayed, and is sent to the remote party. The message “The still image has been sent.” appears on the monitor screen.

When you select “Slide Show” in step 3 above

If you select “Slide Show” from the submenu and press the PUSH ENTER button, a slide show starts from the selected still image, and it will be sent to the remote party.

For details on a slide show, see page 86.

Note

The image file to be sent will be saved to the directory “\DCIM\100MSDCF”. Save it in the directory with a file name as “NNNnnnnn.JPG”*.

* N: alphabet, n: numeral

About a “Memory Stick”

What is “Memory Stick”?

“Memory Stick” is a new compact, portable and versatile IC (Integrated Circuit) recording medium with a data capacity that exceeds a floppy disk. “Memory Stick” is specially designed for exchanging and sharing digital data among “Memory Stick” compatible products. Because it is removable, “Memory Stick” can also be used for external data storage.

“Memory Stick” is available in two sizes: standard size and compact “Memory Stick Duo” size. Once attached to a Memory Stick Duo adapter, “Memory Stick Duo” turns to the same size as standard “Memory Stick” and thus can be used with products compliant with standard “Memory Stick.”

Types of “Memory Stick”

There are five types of “Memory Stick” depending on various uses.

- “Memory Stick PRO”
Equipped with MagicGate copyright protection technology, designed for use only with equipment compatible with “Memory Stick PRO”.
- “Memory Stick-R”
Data stored in this type of “Memory Stick” is not overwritten. It can be used only with equipment compatible with “Memory Stick-R”. Data that requires MagicGate copyright protection technology cannot be stored on this type.
- “Memory Stick”
Any type of data except copyright-protected data that requires MagicGate copyright protection technology can be stored.
- “MagicGate Memory Stick”
Equipped with the MagicGate copyright protection technology.
- “Memory Stick-ROM”
Stores pre-recorded, read-only data. Recording or erasing data cannot be done with this type.

- “Memory Stick” (with memory select function)

Equipped with multiple memories (128 MB). You can select the memory to use with the memory select switch on the back of the “Memory Stick”. You cannot use different memories simultaneously or continuously.

Available types of “Memory Stick” for the unit

You can use “Memory Stick” and “MagicGate Memory Stick” with the unit. However, because the unit does not support the MagicGate standards, data recorded with the unit is not subject to MagicGate copyright protection.

Notes on “Memory Stick Duo”

- To use “Memory Stick Duo” with this unit, attach it to the Memory Stick Duo adapter before inserting it into the unit.
- Be sure to attach “Memory Stick Duo” to the adapter with the correct orientation.
- Be sure to insert the Memory Stick Duo adapter with the correct orientation. Otherwise, the unit may be damaged.
- Do not insert the Memory Stick Duo adapter without “Memory Stick Duo” attached. Doing so may result in malfunction of the unit.

What is MagicGate ?

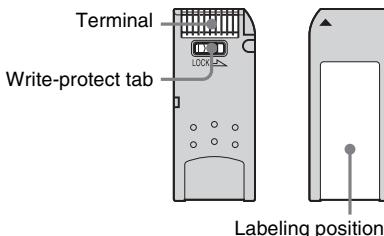
MagicGate is copyright protection technology that uses encryption technology.

Format that can be displayed with this unit

The unit can display the picture files recorded on a “Memory Stick” in the following format:

- Image files (DCF-compatible) compressed in the JPEG (Joint Photographic Experts Group) format (extension: .jpg)
- Image files of up to 2048 × 1536 pixels can be displayed.

Before using a “Memory Stick”



- When you set the “Memory Stick” write-protect tab to “LOCK,” data cannot be recorded, edited, or erased.
- Use a sharp object, such as a ballpoint pen, to move the “Memory Stick Duo” erasure prevention switch.
- Data may be damaged if:
 - You remove the “Memory Stick” or turn off the unit while it is reading or writing data.
 - You use the “Memory Stick” in a location subject to the effects of static electricity or electric noise.

Notes

- Do not attach any other material than the supplied label onto the label space.
- Attach the label so that it does not stick out beyond the labeling position.
- Do not write forcefully on the “Memory Stick Duo” memo area.
- Carry and store the “Memory Stick” in its case.
- Prevent metallic objects or your finger from coming into contact with the metal parts of the connecting section.
- Do not strike, bend, or drop the “Memory Stick.”
- Do not disassemble or modify the “Memory Stick.”
- Do not allow the “Memory Stick” to get wet.
- Do not use or store the “Memory Stick” in a location that is:
 - extremely hot, such as in a car parked in the sun.
 - under direct sunlight.
 - very humid or subject to corrosive substances.

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- “Memory Stick PRO” and **MEMORY STICK PRO** are trademarks of Sony Corporation.
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Formatting a “Memory Stick”

Notes

- A “Memory Stick” formatted with a computer cannot be guaranteed on the Communication Terminal. Make sure to use a “Memory Stick” that has been formatted with the Communication Terminal.
- If you format a “Memory Stick”, all data, including the still images and Phone Book, will be lost.

To format a “Memory Stick”

Select “Memory Stick Format” from the General Setup menu. The message “Format a Memory Stick?” appears. When you select “OK”, the “Memory Stick” will be formatted.

If a “Memory Stick” that is not formatted is inserted

The message “Format a Memory Stick?” appears. To format it, select “OK”. If you do not want to format it, select “Cancel”.

Sending Motion Pictures as Still Images

You can send motion pictures shot by the Camera or those output from the connected external equipment as still images.

When you are sending pictures that contain lots of text, it is recommended that you send them as still images. The images become clearer than motion pictures and the texts are easy to read.

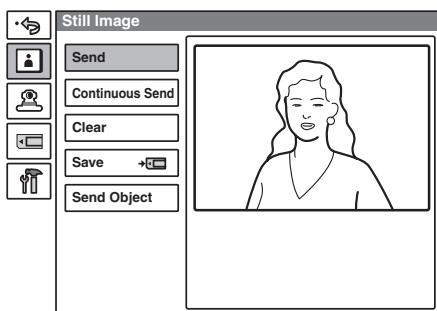
Sending Still Images Using the Still Image Menu

While in communication with the remote party, you can send motion pictures shot by the local camera as still images. You can send one still image or still images continuously.

1 Open the Still Image menu.

Press the MENU button on the Remote Commander to display the Setup menu, and select the  (still image) icon with the \uparrow or \downarrow button.

2 Use the \uparrow , \downarrow , \leftarrow or \rightarrow button on the Remote Commander to select “Send” or “Continuous Send”, then press the PUSH ENTER button.



3 Adjust the camera angle and zoom and press the PUSH ENTER button, if necessary.

For details on the adjustments of the camera angle and zoom, see “Adjusting the Camera Angle and Zoom” on page 73.

The motion picture displayed on the local monitor screen freezes, and a still picture will be sent to the remote party. If you select “Send”, a still image is sent. When transmission is finished, the message “The still image has been sent.” appears.

When “Continuous Send” is selected, still images are sent continuously. The sending interval depends on the transmission rate and the image type.

To stop “Continuous Send”

Press the PUSH ENTER button on the Remote Commander. Select “Stop” from the displayed submenu with the \uparrow or \downarrow button, then press the PUSH ENTER button.

To cancel still image display

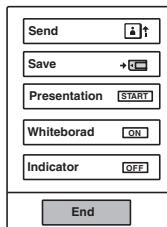
Press the PUSH ENTER button on the Remote Commander to display the submenu. Select “Clear” with the \uparrow or \downarrow button, then press the PUSH ENTER button.

Sending a Still Image Using the Communication Submenu

You can easily send only one image displayed on the monitor screen as a still image during communication.

- 1 Press the PUSH ENTER button on the Remote Commander during communication.

The Communication submenu appears.



- 2 Press the \uparrow or \downarrow button on the Remote Commander to select “Send”, then press the PUSH ENTER button.

The motion picture displayed on the local monitor screen freezes, and a still picture is sent to the remote party. When transmission is finished, the message “The still image has been sent.” appears.

To cancel still image display

Press the PUSH ENTER button on the Remote Commander to display the communication submenu. Select “Clear” with the \uparrow or \downarrow button, then press the PUSH ENTER button. When a still image is displayed on the monitor screen, the “Send” indication changes to “Clear”.

To erase the communication submenu

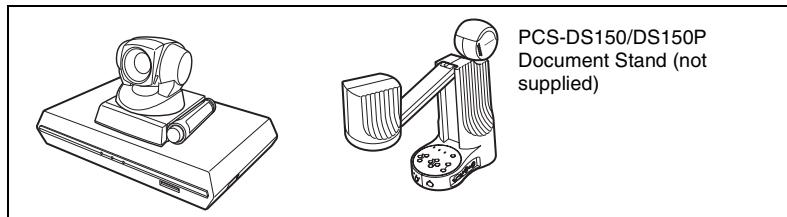
Select “End” from the menu, then press the PUSH ENTER button.

When you are receiving a still image

You cannot send a still image to the remote party. Select “Clear”, then send the still image.

Sending Motion Pictures Output from a Document Stand as Still Images

During communication motion pictures output from the optional PCS-DS150/DS150P Document Stand connected to the Communication Terminal can be frozen, and you can send a still image to the remote party.



To send a still image

- 1 Shoot the image you want to send with the Document Stand.

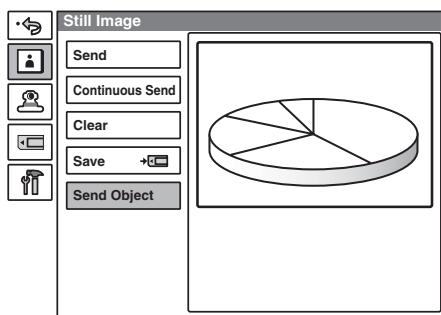
For details how to operate the Document Stand, refer to the Operating Instructions supplied with the Document Stand.

- 2 Open the Still Image menu.

Press the MENU button on the Remote Commander to display the Setup menu, then select the  (still image) icon with the \uparrow or \downarrow button.

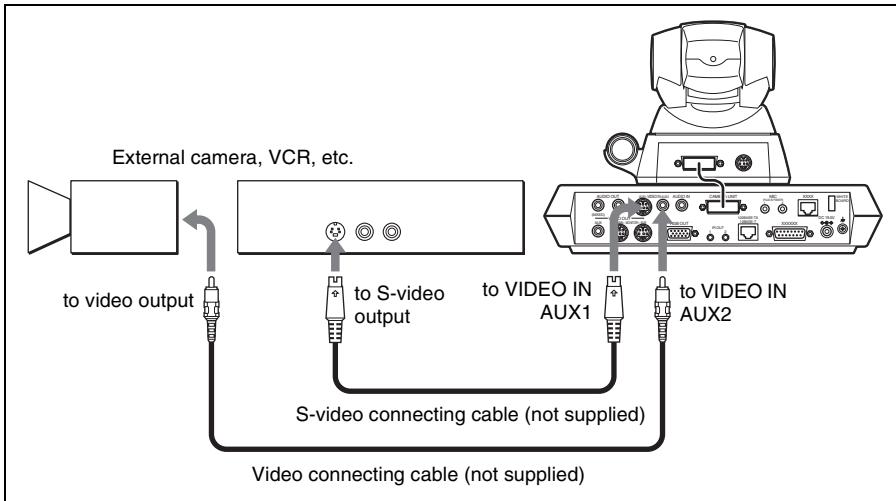
- 3 Use the \uparrow , \downarrow , \leftarrow or \rightarrow button on the Remote Commander to select “Send Object”, then press the PUSH ENTER button.

The picture shot by the Document Stand is displayed on the monitor screen and is sent to the remote party as a still image.



Sending Motion Pictures Input from an External Camera or Other Equipment as Still Images

During communication a motion picture output from an external camera or VCR connected to the Communication Terminal can be frozen, and then sent to the remote party.



To send a still image

1 Open the Still Image menu.

Press the MENU button on the Remote Commander to display the Setup menu, then select the  (still image) icon with the \uparrow or \downarrow button.

2 Display the picture you want to send on the monitor screen.

Press the VIDEO INPUT SELECT button on the Remote Commander to display the Video Input Select menu, then select the input from which you want to send a picture under "Near", and press the PUSH ENTER button.

AUX 1: Selects the picture input from equipment connected to the VIDEO IN AUX 1 connector.

AUX 2: Selects the picture input from equipment connected to the VIDEO IN AUX 2 connector.

Note

Selecting "Object" enables you to display the picture input from the optional PCS-DS150/DS150P Document Stand on the monitor screen.

3 Use the \uparrow , \downarrow , \leftarrow or \rightarrow button on the Remote Commander to select "Send", then press the PUSH ENTER button.

The motion picture on the monitor screen freezes, and a still picture is sent to the remote party. The still picture remains even after sending.

To cancel the still image display on the answering site

Select "Clear", or switch the input picture.

Receiving Still Images from a Remote Party

During communication you can receive still images of the pictures shot by the remote camera if “Far End Camera Control” items are set to “On” both in the Answer Setup menu on the answering site and the Dial Setup menu on the dialing site.

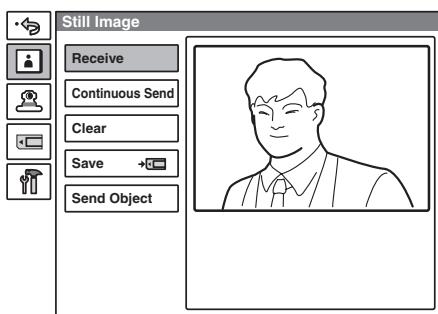
1 Open the Still Image menu.

Press the MENU button on the Remote Commander to display the Setup menu, then select the  (still image) icon with the \uparrow or \downarrow button.

2 Press the FAR/NEAR button on the Remote Commander.

The picture shot by the remote camera and the FAR indicator appear on the monitor screen in the Still Image menu window. “Send” in the menu turns to “Receive”.

3 Use the \uparrow , \downarrow , \leftarrow or \rightarrow button on the Remote Commander to select “Receive”, then press the PUSH ENTER button.



The remote picture displayed on the monitor screen is received as a still image.

To cancel still image display

Press the PUSH ENTER button on the Remote Commander to display the submenu. Select “Clear” with the \uparrow or \downarrow button, then press the PUSH ENTER button.

Saving Still Images to a “Memory Stick”

You can save the picture shot by the local camera or input picture from the connected equipment or the remote picture during conference in a “Memory Stick”.

Saving Still Images Using the Still Image Menu

1 Insert the “Memory Stick” in which you are saving the images into the Memory Stick slot.

2 Open the Still Image menu.

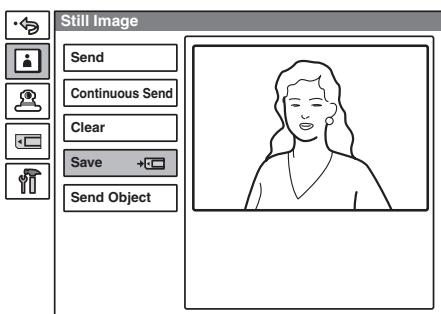
Press the MENU button on the Remote Commander to display the Setup menu, then select the  (still image) icon with the \uparrow or \downarrow button.

3 Display the picture you want to save on the monitor screen.

To switch the input on the local site, press the VIDEO INPUT SELECT button on the Remote Commander to display the Video Input Select menu, select the desired picture, then press the PUSH ENTER button.

To save the remote picture, switch to the picture on the remote site with the FAR/NEAR button on the Remote Commander, and select the desired picture.

4 Use the \uparrow , \downarrow , \leftarrow or \rightarrow button on the Remote Commander to select “Save”, then press the PUSH ENTER button.



The picture displayed on the monitor screen will be saved as a still image to the “Memory Stick”.

Notes

- Do not remove the “Memory Stick” until the data is completely loaded. If you do, the “Memory Stick” may be damaged or the Communication Terminal may cause a malfunction.
- A still image file is saved as a new file. It will not be overwritten.

When the write-protect tab on the “Memory Stick” is set to “LOCK” when you selected “Save” in step 4

The message “Memory Stick write-protected” appears and you cannot save the still image file.

When the memory of the “Memory Stick” is full

The message “Memory full.” appears and you cannot save the still image file.

Image format that can be stored in a “Memory Stick”

File name

The image file is saved under the directory named “\DCIM\100MSDCF” with a file name as “DSCXXXXX.JPG”.

Compression format

The Communication Terminal compresses and records the recorded image data in the JPEG (Joint Photographic Experts Group) format. The file extension is “.jpg”.

Note

The Communication Terminal is not compatible with progressive JPEG format data.

Saving Still Images Using the Memory Stick Menu

You can save still pictures using the “Memory Stick” “Save” thumbnail displayed on the Memory Stick menu.

1 Insert the “Memory Stick” to which you are saving the images into the Memory Stick slot.

2 Display the picture you want to save.

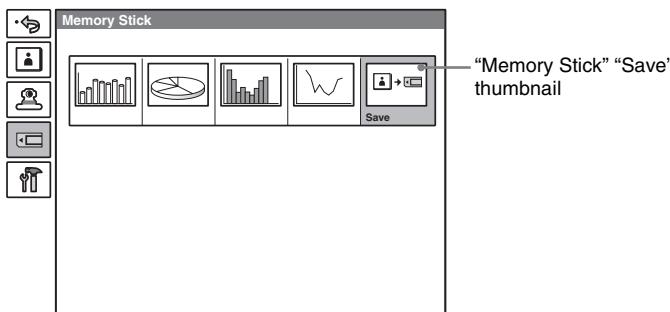
To switch the input on the local site, press the VIDEO INPUT SELECT button on the Remote Commander to display the Video Input Select menu, select the desired picture, then press the PUSH ENTER button.

To save the remote picture, switch to the picture on the remote site with the FAR/NEAR button on the Remote Commander, and select the desired picture.

3 Open the Memory Stick menu.

Press the MENU button on the Remote Commander to display the Setup menu, then select the  (“Memory Stick”) icon with the \uparrow or \downarrow button.

4 Use the \uparrow , \downarrow , \leftarrow or \rightarrow button on the Remote Commander to move the cursor to the last thumbnail, the “Memory Stick” “Save” thumbnail, then press the PUSH ENTER button.



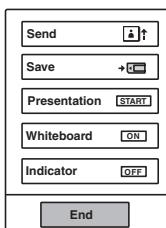
The selected picture is saved to the “Memory Stick” and a thumbnail is created.

Saving Still Images Using the Communication Submenu

You can promptly save the picture displayed on the monitor screen during communication to the “Memory Stick” as a still image.

1 During communication with the remote party press the PUSH ENTER button.

The communication submenu appears.



2 Press the \uparrow or \downarrow button on the Remote Commander to select “Save”, then press the PUSH ENTER button.

The displayed picture is frozen and saved to the “Memory Stick” as a still image.

After saving the message “Still image saved to Memory Stick.” Appears.

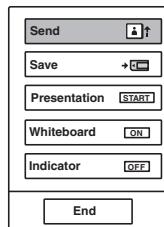
To erase the communication submenu

Select “End” in the menu, then press the PUSH ENTER button.

Using a Convenient Menu Available during Communication — Communication Submenu

During communication with a remote party, pressing the PUSH ENTER button on the Remote Commander opens the communication submenu. The communication submenu allows you to perform operations often used during communication only by selecting the item in the menu.

Communication submenu



Selecting each item with the **↑** or **↓** button and pressing the PUSH ENTER button enables the following operations:

Send: Sends the picture displayed on the monitor screen as a still picture to a remote party.

After it is sent, this item changes to “Clear”. Selecting this item restores the motion picture shot by the camera.

Save: Saves the picture displayed on the monitor screen to a “Memory Stick” as a still picture.

Presentation START: Sends the RGB picture input from the optional PCS-DSB1 Data Solution Box to a remote party. After sending, the item changes to “Presentation STOP”. Selecting the item ends transmission of the RGB picture.

Displayed only when the Data Solution Box is connected to the Communication Terminal.

Whiteboard ON: Sends the notes written on a whiteboard with the mimio Xi attached. After sending, the item changes to “Whiteboard OFF”. Selecting the item ends transmission of the notes on the whiteboard.

Displayed only when the whiteboard with the mimio Xi installed is connected.

Indicator OFF: Shows the indicators on the monitor screen if they are not shown. While the indicators are shown, the item changes to “Indicator ON”, and selecting the item hides the indicators.

End: Clears the communication submenu.

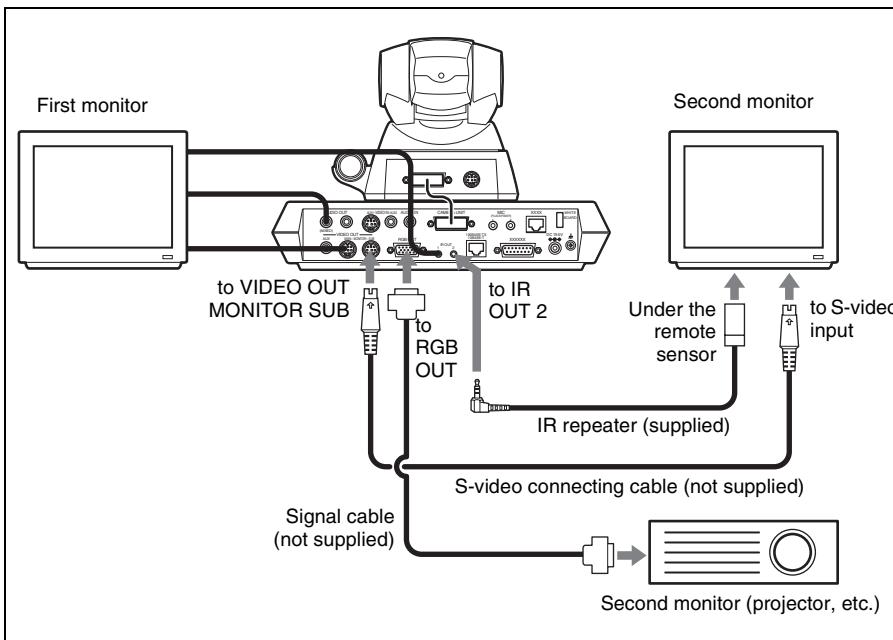
Using Two Monitors – Dual Monitor

The Communication Terminal enables you to connect two monitors. One monitor can be used exclusively for monitoring motion pictures. (**Dual Monitor system**)

To connect the second monitor

Connect the second monitor to the VIDEO OUT MONITOR SUB or RGB OUT connector on the Communication Terminal.

When you are using Sony monitors, insert the IR repeater under the remote sensor of the second monitor and connect it to the IR OUT 2 jack on the Communication Terminal.



Activating dual monitor system

Set “Dual Monitor” to “On” in Page 1 of the General Setup menu. The default setting is “Off” (page 43).

When set to “On”, the first monitor is used exclusively for monitoring motion pictures while still images are displayed on the second monitor.

For details, see “Switching the Picture Displayed on Dual Monitors” on page 103.

Notes

- When “Dual Monitor” is set to “Off”, still images will be displayed on the first monitor screen.
- When “Dual Monitor” is set to “On”, the local picture is displayed on the second monitor screen while not in communication.

To display the picture on the second monitor screen

Set “Sub Monitor Out” to “VIDEO OUT” or “RGB OUT” in Page 1 of the General Setup menu. (See page 43.)

VIDEO OUT: Outputs a signal to the monitor connected to the VIDEO OUT MONITOR SUB connector on the Communication Terminal.

RGB OUT: Outputs a signal to the monitor connected to the RGB OUT connector on the Communication Terminal.

To view the picture as a window picture

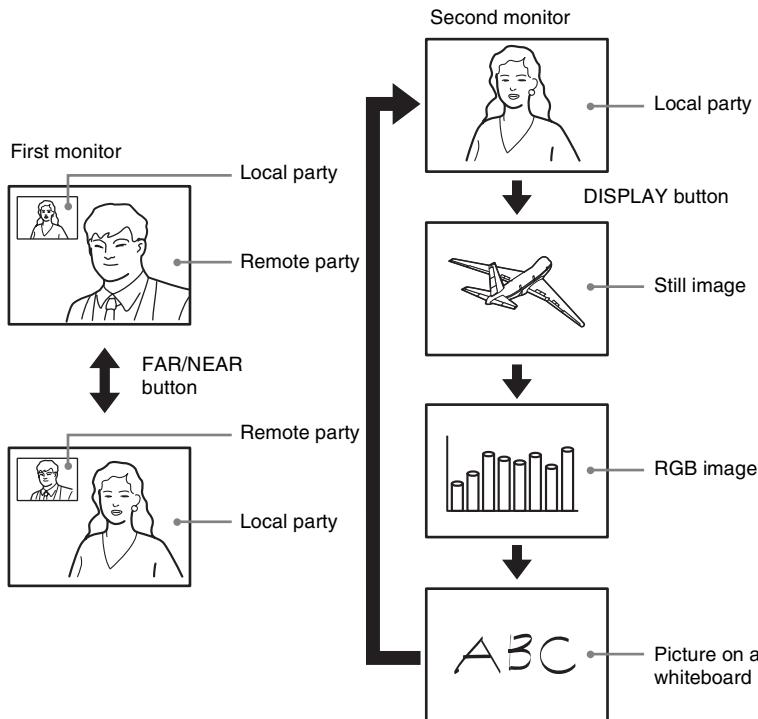
When you press the PinP button on the Remote Commander during communication, the picture will be displayed as a window picture on the first monitor screen.

Note

You cannot display a window picture on of the second monitor screen.

Switching the Picture Displayed on Dual Monitors

You can display the following pictures on the first or second monitor while in communication.



First monitor

- Enables display of motion pictures on the local or remote site.
- To switch between the local and remote pictures, press the FAR/NEAR button on the Remote Commander to display the Display Control menu, then select “Far” (remote party) or “Near” (local party) under “Display”.

Second monitor

- Enables display of motion pictures on the local site, a still image received or transmitted, an RGB image transmitted via the PCS-DSB1 Data Solution Box or a picture on a whiteboard.
- Each press of the DISPLAY button on the Remote Commander changes the displayed picture.

Note

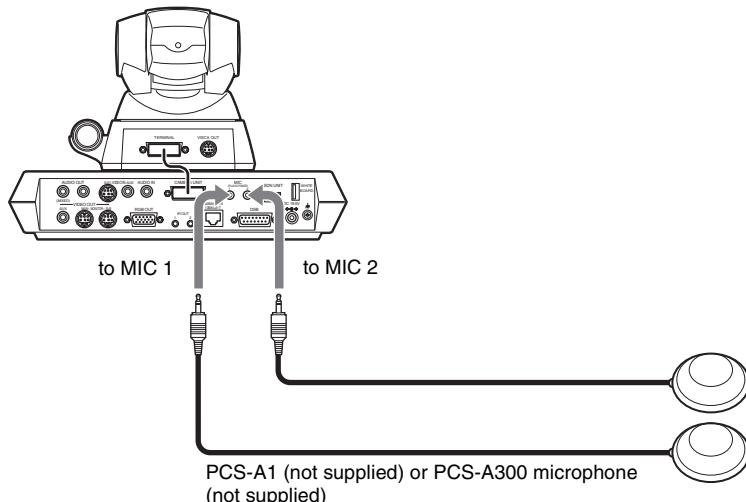
You cannot change the displayed picture by pressing the DISPLAY button if there are no still image, RGB image, etc.

Using Multiple Microphones

The microphone built in the PCS-C1/C1P Camera Unit is assumed to be used to conduct a conference among about three participants. You can connect the optional PCS-A1 or PCS-A300 microphone to the System, allowing more persons to participate in the conference.

To connect the optional microphones

Connect the optional microphones to the MIC 1 and MIC 2 connectors on the Communication Terminal. Power is supplied to the microphones from the Terminal.



To use the connected microphone

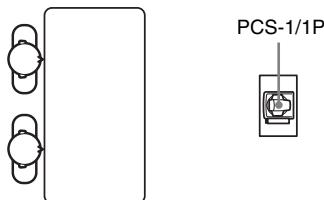
Set "Mic Select" to "External" in the Audio Setup menu. (See page 43.) In this case the built-in microphone is disabled.

Notes on installation of the microphones

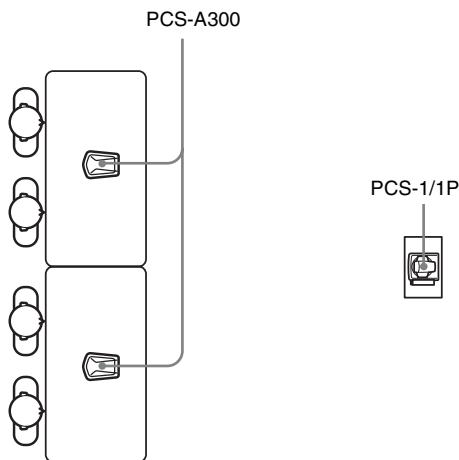
- Install microphone about 50 cm away from the participants.
- Install the speakers behind the microphones.
- Place the microphone in a quiet, echo-free location.
- Install microphones away from equipment that may cause noise.
- Avoid covering a microphone with paper, etc., or moving it. If you do either, extreme noise and echo may be heard temporarily by the remote party. In this case, wait until the echo disappears.

Microphone layout examples

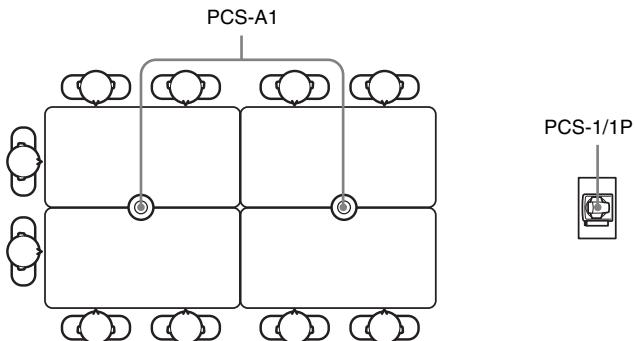
Microphone built in the PCS-1/1P



PCS-A300 microphones



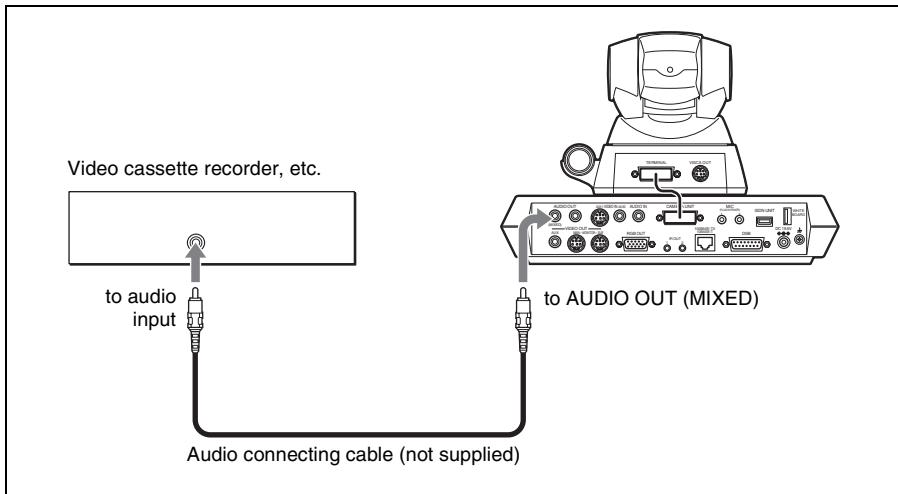
PCS-A1 microphones



Recording Audio During a Conference

You can record the voices of the participants on both the remote and local sites during a conference if you connect a video cassette recorder to the AUDIO OUT (MIXED) jack on the Communication Terminal. This is convenient for taking minutes of the conference.

To connect a video cassette recorder



When recording with a video cassette recorder

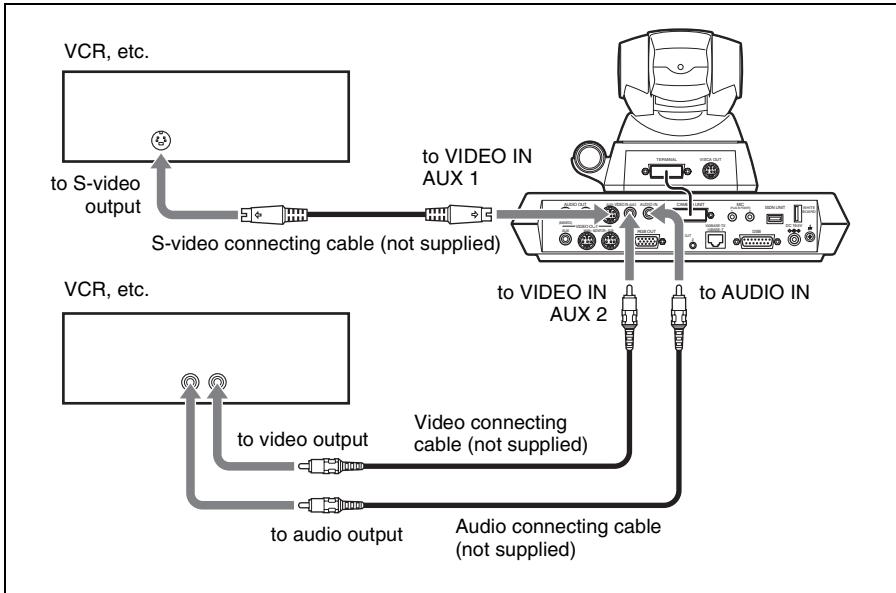
When a video cassette recorder is connected to both the AUDIO IN and AUDIO OUT (MIXED) jacks, set "Recording Mute" to "On" in the Audio Setup menu to prevent from reflecting echo on a remote party. (See page 43.)

Sending Audio/Video from the External Equipment to a Remote Party

The Communication Terminal allows you to send the picture and sound output from the connected equipment such as a VCR to the remote party.

To connect the video equipment for input

The Communication Terminal is equipped with two video inputs.



Note

Be sure to connect the audio cable to either of two VCRs.

To input audio/video from external equipment

To input video

Open the Video Input Select menu by pressing the VIDEO INPUT SELECT button on the Remote Commander, then select the desired video input from the “Near” text box in the menu.

To input the video from the equipment connected to the VIDEO IN AUX 1 or 2 jack, choose “AUX 1” or “AUX 2”, respectively.

To input audio

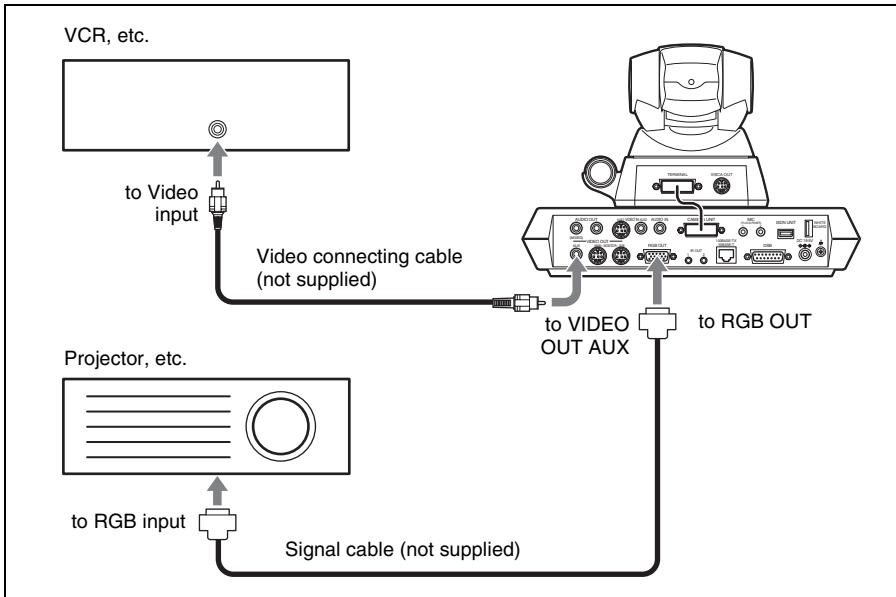
Set “Input Select” to “AUX” or “MIC + AUX” in the Audio Setup menu. (See page 42.)

When set to “AUX”, the sound from the external equipment is input and the sound from a microphone is deactivated. When set to “MIC + AUX”, both sounds are input.

Outputting Video Signals to External Equipment

The Communication Terminal allows you to output the video signal to the connected external equipment such as a projector and VCR.

To connect the external video equipment for output



To output signals to the equipment connected to the RGB OUT connector on the Communication Terminal

Set “Monitor Out” or “Sub Monitor Out” to “RGB OUT” on Page 1 of the General Setup menu. (See page 43.)

When you are not using any other monitor than the equipment connected to the RGB OUT connector, set “Dual Monitor” to “Off” in Page 1 of the General Setup menu. When you use the equipment connected to the RGB OUT connector as the second monitor to display a still image, etc., set “Dual Monitor” to “On” in Page 1 of the General Setup menu. (See page 43.)

Conducting a Conference Without the Picture – Voice Meeting

Using the PCS-1/1P Video Communication System, you can conduct a conference only through voices via a normal phone without connecting the videoconferencing system. (**Voice Meeting**)

Basic connecting procedures are the same as those for videoconferencing.

Conducting a voice meeting with a remote party not registered in the phone book

Set “Line I/F” to “ISDN(Telephone)” in the Dial Setup menu.

During the Voice Meeting the “Voice Only” indicator is displayed.

For “Line I/F” setting, see “To call a remote party not registered in the Phone Book” on page 61.

To register a remote party for a Voice Meeting

Set “Line I/F” to “ISDN(Telephone)” in the List Edit menu displayed from the Phone Book menu.

For registration, see “Registering a Remote Party – Phone Book” on page 52.

To set the audio compression format

Select the audio compression format by setting “Telephone Mode” in Page 4 of the Dial Setup menu.

When you initiate the voice meeting, set “Telephone Mode” to “Auto”. When set to “Auto”, the G.711 μ -law format is automatically selected.

You need not set the audio compression format when receiving a call from the remote party.

For the “Telephone Mode” setting, see page 39.

Controlling the Remote System With the Tone Signal – DTMF Transmission

The Video Communication System enables you to control the remote system connected by transmitting the tone signal (DTMF: Dual Tone Multi Frequency) assigned to the numbers for dialing (0-9, #, *).

- 1 Press the * button on the Remote Commander during communication. The DTMF menu appears on the monitor screen.
- 2 Press one of the number buttons (0-9, #, *) on the Remote Commander corresponding to the tone signal you want to transmit to the remote party. The tone signal will be transmitted when the button is pressed.
- 3 To stop transmitting the tone signal, press the PUSH ENTER button on the Remote Commander. The DTMF menu disappears.

Conducting a Data Conference Using NetMeeting – T.120 Data Conference

Connecting the Communication Terminal to the computer with NetMeeting* installed enables conduct of a data conference in compliance with the T.120 standard of the ITU-T Recommendation via the PCS-1/1P Video Communication System only when it is connected over ISDN.

* NetMeeting is a registered trademark of Microsoft Corporation.

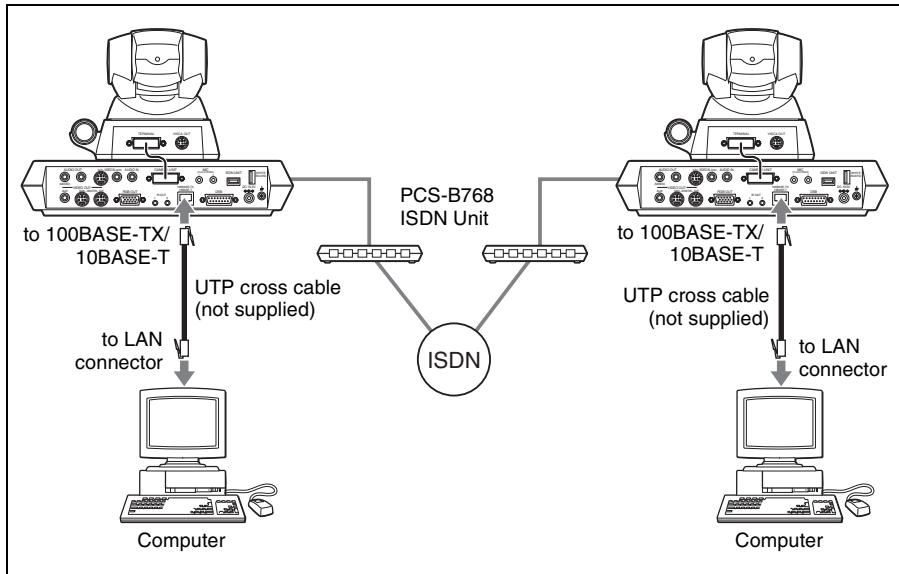
Note

- When the Communication Terminal is used for a multipoint videoconference, the T.120 data conference is not available.
- When the PCS-1/1P Video Communication System is connected with a videoconferencing system at the remote party via LAN, conduct the T.120 data conference without using the PCS-1/1P.

To connect a computer

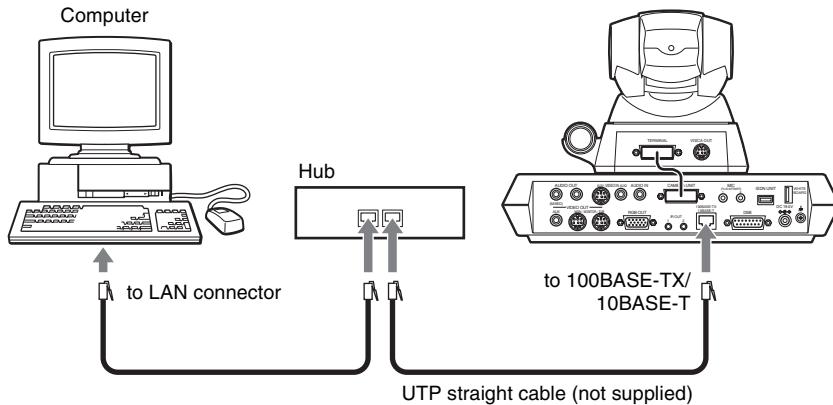
To connect a computer to the connector on the Communication Terminal

Use a commercially available UTP cross cable (category 5) to connect the LAN connector on the computer with the 100BASE-TX/10BASE-T connector on the Communication Terminal.



To connect to a computer via a hub

Connect the Communication Terminal to a computer using the UTP straight cable.



To configure the Communication Terminal

Open Page 2 of the General Setup menu, and enter the IP address of the computer in which the NetMeeting application is installed in the “T.120 PC Address” text box. (See page 44.)

To call a remote party to conduct a T.120 data conference

Set “T.120 Data” to “On” in Page 2 of the Dial Setup menu. (See page 38.)

When you receive a call from a remote party to conduct a T.120 data conference

Set “T.120 Data” to “On” in Page 2 of the Answer Setup menu. (See page 41.)

Note

It is recommended that you set “Audio Mode” to “G.728” in the Dial Setup and Answer Setup menus.

To connect to a remote party using NetMeeting

Before connecting, install the NetMeeting application in your computer.

- 1 Double-click the NetMeeting icon, or click “NetMeeting” from the Start menu on the computer’s window.
NetMeeting starts.
- 2 Set the Communication Terminal to communication mode.
Check that the “T.120” indicator is displayed on the monitor screen.

- 3** Click “Calling” in the NetMeeting window on the computer of either a local or remote party.
- 4** Enter the IP address set for the Communication Terminal in the “Address” text box of the “Call to” dialog box.
- 5** Click “Call”.
After a while the connection is completed.

For details on how to operate, refer to the Help menu of the NetMeeting application.

About the transmission rate

The Communication Terminal supports the following transmission rates:

MLP: 6.4 Kbps, 24 Kbps, 32 Kbps

HMLP: 62.4 Kbps, 64 Kbps, 128 Kbps.

Accessing the Communication Terminal

The following controls are available to access the Communication Terminal. For details on each control, consult your Sony dealer.

Using a Web Browser

Accessing the IP address of the Communication Terminal from a Web browser allows you to control or set up the Terminal.

For details on the password to access or Web monitoring feature, see “Administrator Setup Menu” on page 45.

Using Telnet

Accessing the IP address of the Communication Terminal from Telnet allows you to control or set up the Terminal.

For details on the password to access or Web monitoring feature, see “Administrator Setup Menu” on page 45.

The AUX CONTROL jack on the right side of the Communication Terminal is designed to be used for services.

Chapter 5: Data Conference

This chapter shows you how to use the data from a computer, etc. connected to the optional PCS-DSB1 Data Solution Box for a conference.

The optional PCS-DSB1 Data Solution Box is equipped with various input/output connectors. For example, connecting the RGB output on a computer enables you to transmit the pictures or text data displayed on the computer to a remote party. When you connect a projector, you can display a high-resolution image from a computer on the projector at a high transmission rate. The PCS-DSB1 is also equipped with connectors for connecting active speakers and microphones. The PCS-DSB1 is connected with the Communication Terminal using the interface cable for exclusive use.

The party who receives the data, even if the party has no Data Solution Box or uses another videoconferencing system such as PC-1600, can view the computer images sent from the other party. However, the quality of the picture received varies with the components of the system. If the Data Solution Box is used by the party who receives the data, a larger number of frames per second is obtained than the system without the Data Solution Box. It allows you to obtain a high-resolution motion picture from a computer.

For details on picture quality depending on the system components, see “Picture quality of the data solution box” on page 120.

For details on RGB signal specifications, see “Acceptable RGB Input/Output Signals” on page 173.

Restrictions on the IP address of the system when using the Data Solution Box

The IP address available for the PCS-1/1P Video Communication System is restricted when you use the Data Solution Box. Moreover, a network for communication between the Data Solution Box and the Communication Terminal should be set up to be a separate segment.

As a result, unusable IP address is the value obtained from the AND operation with the address of the Data Solution Box for communication and the network mask.

(Unusable IP address for the PCS-1/1P) = (IP address of the PCS-DSB1)&(Network mask)

The IP address of the PCS-DSB1 is fixed at “192.254.1.2”. If the Network mask is assumed to be “255.255.0.0”, an unusable IP address is as follows:

192.254.m.n (0 \leqq m \leqq 255, 0 \leqq n \leqq 255)

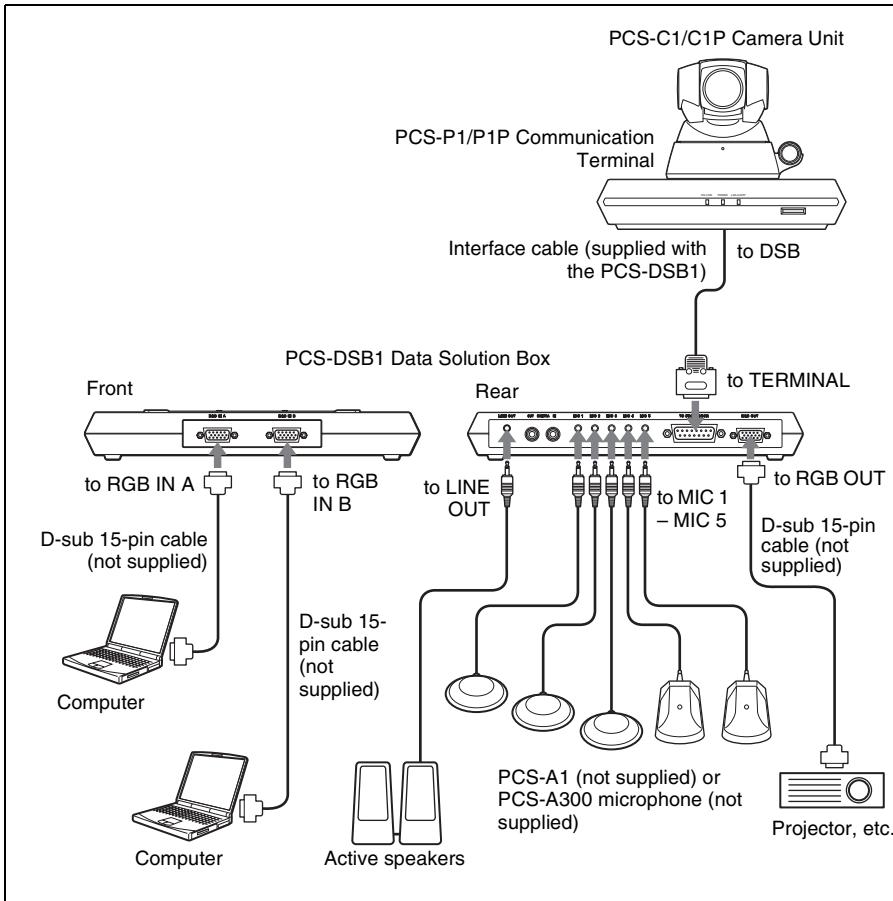
Note on the camera picture when using the Data Solution Box

When transmitting a signal via the Data Solution Box, the camera picture quality will be lower owing to the decreased number of frames.

Connection Example Using the Data Solution Box

Note

- Be sure not to turn on the power of each unit until all the connections are completed.
- Do not connect/disconnect the camera cable or the interface cable with the power on. Doing so may damage the Camera Unit, Communication Terminal or Data Solution Box.
- Used with the Data Solution Box for the first time, the Communication Terminal may automatically upgrade the software of the Data Solution Box. While the upgrading message is displayed on the monitor screen, be sure not to turn off the Communication Terminal. Doing so may cause malfunction of the system.



Notes on the connection example

- Power to the Data Solution Box is supplied from the PCS-P1/P1P Communication Terminal with a connection described above.
- Connect a projector, etc. to the RGB OUT connector on the Data Solution Box.

This connection enables you:

- To display the computer picture on the local site while transmitting it to the remote site.
- To display the received computer picture with optimum picture quality. The received computer picture can also be output from the VIDEO OUT or RGB OUT connector on the PCS-P1/P1P Communication Terminal, but the computer picture while transmitting cannot be output from these connectors.

Note on the connection of a microphone

- Up to five microphones can be connected with the Data Solution Box.
- When using external microphones, the sound transmitted to the remote party may become unclear due to noises in a conferencing room. In this case speak close to the microphone.
- When using multiple microphones, the Echo Canceler function cannot be fully utilized depending on the type of conference room. In this case, try to suppress any echo in the room or decrease the number of microphones.
- You cannot use the microphones connected to the Data Solution Box together with those connected to the Communication Terminal or the built-in microphone.

Using Audio/Video Signal from the Connected Equipment for a Conference

Setting Before Conferencing

To use a microphone connected to the Data Solution Box

Set “Mic Select” to “DSB MIC” in the Audio Setup menu (page 43).

To use a projector, etc. connected to the RGB OUT connector on the Data Solution Box

Set “Monitor Out (or Sub Monitor Out)” to “RGB OUT (DSB)” in Page 1 of the General Setup menu (page 43).

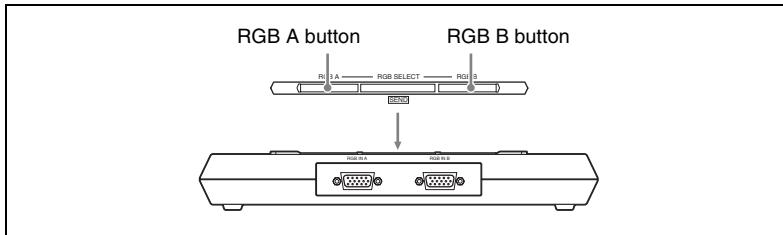
Operating the System During a Conference

To select a picture from a computer connected to the Data Solution Box

Press the RGB A or RGB B button on the upper panel of the Data Solution Box.

To select the picture from the computer connected to the RGB IN A connector, press the RGB IN A button, or the RGB IN B button to select that from the computer connected to the RGB IN B connector.

The indicator of the selected button lights.



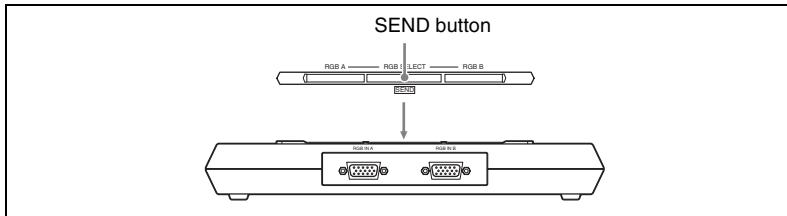
To transmit a picture from a computer connected to the Data Solution Box

Press the SEND button on the upper panel of the Data Solution Box.

The indicator on the SEND button lights and the picture of the equipment selected with the RGB A or RGB B button is displayed on the projector, etc. connected to the RGB OUT connector on the Data Solution Box. While in communication, the picture selected on the Data Solution Box is transmitted to the remote party simultaneously.

Such computer picture is displayed without any conversion as input to the Data Solution Box. The detailed portion of the picture transmitted to the remote party may not be clearly seen and the number of frames may be reduced.

For details on picture quality, see “Picture quality of the data solution box” on page 120.



Note

While you are transmitting the computer picture, you cannot receive a still image or a computer picture from any other terminal. Ending your transmission enables you to receive it. When you are receiving a still image or computer picture from any other terminal, you cannot transmit a computer picture from equipment connected to the Data Solution Box.

To transmit the picture from a computer to multiple points

If you install the optional PCS-323M1 H.323 (for LAN) or PCS-320M1 H.320 (for ISDN) MCU software, you can transmit the picture from the computer to multiple points.

Picture quality of the data solution box

The picture quality received by the remote party varies depending on the type of the terminal or connecting method, or “Monitor Out (or Sub Monitor Out)” setting on the remote site. Using the Data Solution Box on the remote site enables receipt of a high-quality computer picture with larger number of frames.

When the PCS-1/1P is used as a receiving terminal via LAN

Setting of "Monitor Out (or Sub Monitor Out)" on the receiving terminal		Output connector for a computer picture on receiving terminal	Resolution	Video frame rate	Picture quality
When "Dual Monitor" is set to "Off"	When "Dual Monitor" is set to "On"				
VIDEO OUT	—	VIDEO OUT MONITOR MAIN on the PCS-P1/P1P	○	○	Outputs the signal by converting a transmitted VGA, SVGA or XGA signal into a 4CIF signal. The original high-resolution picture cannot be obtained and details cannot be clearly seen. The number of frames displayed per second depends on the interface transmission rate. For example, one frame per second is obtained at 1 Mbps.
—	VIDEO OUT	VIDEO OUT MONITOR SUB on the PCS-P1/P1P	○	○	Outputs the signal by converting a transmitted VGA, SVGA or XGA signal into a 4CIF signal. The original high-resolution picture cannot be obtained and details cannot be clearly seen. The number of frames displayed per second depends on the interface transmission rate. For example, one frame per second is obtained at 1 Mbps.
RGB OUT	RGB OUT	RGB OUT on the PCS-P1/P1P	◎	○	Outputs the signal by converting a transmitted VGA, SVGA or XGA signal into an XGA signal. The high-resolution picture can be obtained. The number of frames displayed per second depends on the interface transmission rate. For example, one frame per second is obtained at 1 Mbps.

Setting of “Monitor Out (or Sub Monitor Out)” on the receiving terminal		Output connector for a computer picture on receiving terminal	Resolution	Video frame rate	Picture quality
When “Dual Monitor” is set to “Off”	When “Dual Monitor” is set to “On”				
RGB OUT (DSB)	RGB OUT (DSB)	RGB OUT on the PCS-DSB1 (only when the PCS-DSB1 is enabled)	◎	◎	Outputs the signal by converting a transmitted VGA, SVGA or XGA signal into an XGA signal. The high-resolution picture can be obtained. You can view more vivid picture than the picture output from the RGB OUT connector on the Communication Terminal. The number of frames displayed per second depends on the interface transmission rates. For example, five frames per second is obtained at 1 Mbps.

◎ : High, ○: Middle, Δ: Low

For the settings for output of the picture from each output connector, see “Displaying the Picture on a Projector or Monitor” on page 123, and “Dual Monitor” and “Monitor Out (or Sub Monitor Out)” in the General Setup Menu on page 43.

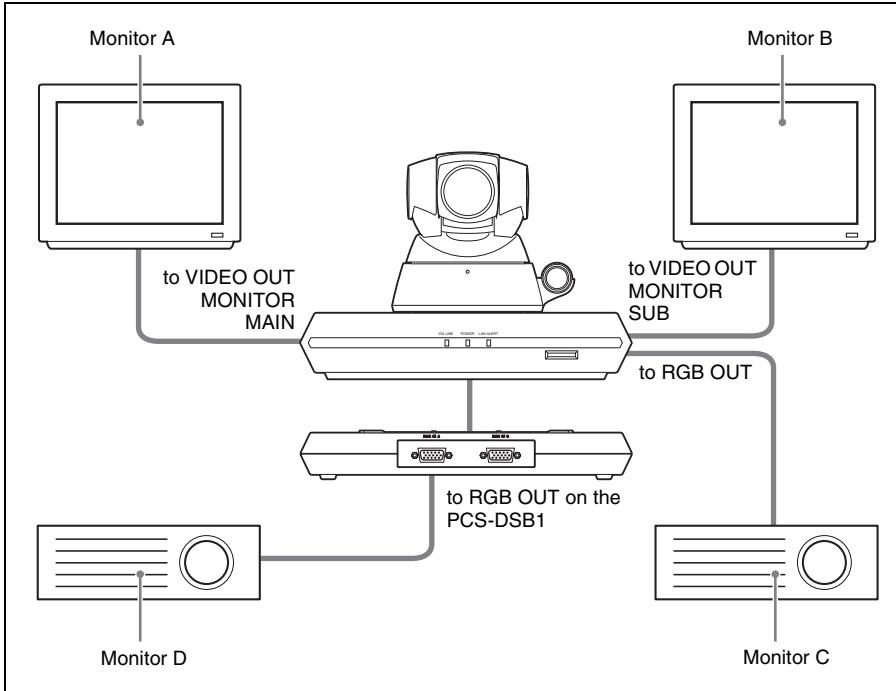
When the PCS-1/1P is used as a receiving terminal via ISDN or with “Video Mode” set to “H.261”, or when videoconferencing system other than the PCS-1/1P is used

Resolution	Video frame rate	Remarks
○	△	Sends and receives the pictures in 4CIF, and the original high-resolution picture cannot be obtained and detailed portion cannot be clearly seen. The number of frames displayed per second depends on the interface transmission rates. For example, one frame per several seconds is obtained.

◎ : High, ○: Middle, Δ: Low

Displaying the Picture on a Projector or Monitor

When you connect the Data Solution Box to the Communication Terminal, connections with external monitors, etc. using the following four outputs are available. The connections allow output of the picture to one or two monitors selected from among four.



Outputting the Signal to One Monitor

This setting is available when “Dual Monitor” is set to “Off” in the General Setup menu. Select the output using “Monitor Out” setting in the General Setup menu.

VIDEO OUT: Outputs the signal to a monitor (Monitor A in the illustration above) connected to the VIDEO OUT MONITOR MAIN connector on the Communication Terminal.

RGB OUT: Outputs the signal to a monitor (Monitor C in the illustration above) connected to the RGB OUT connector on the Communication Terminal.

RGB OUT (DSB): Outputs the signal to a monitor (Monitor D in the illustration above) connected to the RGB OUT connector on the Data Solution Box.

Note

When “Dual Monitor” is set to “Off” in the General Setup menu, output to a monitor connected to the VIDEO OUT MONITOR SUB connector is not available.

When connecting the monitor to the RGB OUT connector on the Data Solution Box

The menus may not be displayed. In this case, change the setup of your system as described below.

- 1 Connect your monitor to the RGB OUT connector on the Communication Terminal.
- 2 Set “Dual Monitor” to “Off” and “Monitor Out” to “RGB OUT (DSB)” in the General Setup menu.
- 3 Change the connection of the monitor to the RGB OUT connector on the Data Solution Box.

Outputting the Signal to Two Monitors

This setting is available when “Dual Monitor” is set to “On” in the General Setup menu.

The first monitor for displaying motion pictures is fixed to the monitor connected to the VIDEO OUT MONITOR MAIN connector on the Communication Terminal (Monitor A in the illustration).

Select the output to the second monitor using the “Sub Monitor Out” setting in the General Setup menu.

VIDEO OUT: Outputs the signal to a monitor connected to the VIDEO OUT MONITOR SUB connector (Monitor B) on the Communication Terminal.

RGB OUT: Outputs the signal to a monitor (Monitor C) connected to the RGB OUT connector on the Communication Terminal.

RGB OUT (DSB): Outputs the signal to a monitor (Monitor D) connected to the RGB OUT connector on the Data Solution Box.

Chapter 6:

Videoconference

Using a Whiteboard

This chapter describes how to use your whiteboard for your videoconferencing system.

You can transmit and receive notes written on the whiteboard in real-time in a videoconference. You can also store the transmitted or received data in a Memory Stick as still images.

Your whiteboard is usable for a videoconference only when the optional mimio Xi* is used together with the system.

For product information on the mimio Xi, contact your nearest Sony dealer.

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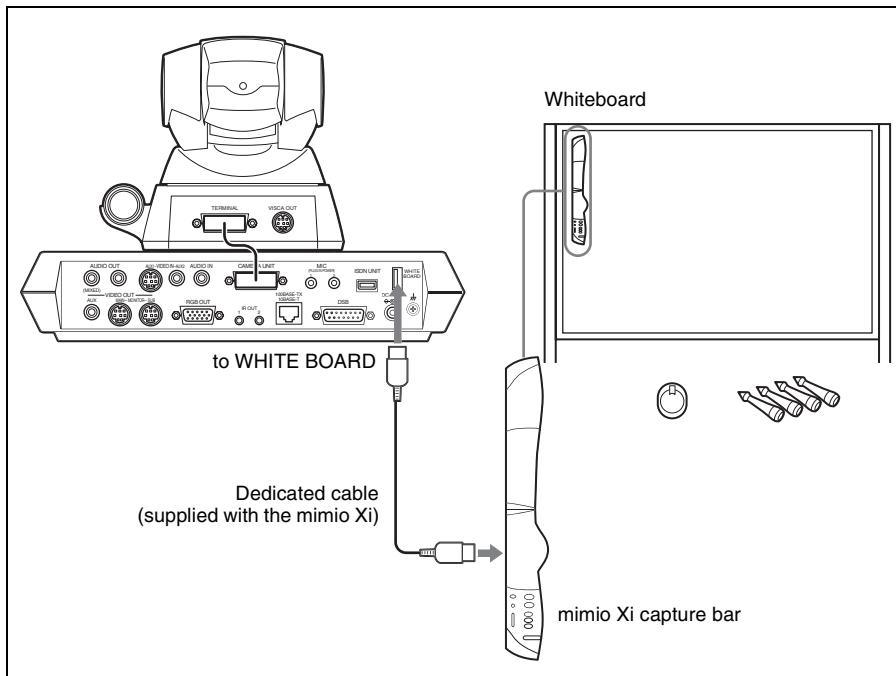
Note

Videoconferencing using the whiteboard is available only between systems equipped with the PCS-1/1P. You cannot use this function with other Sony videoconferencing systems such as PCS-1600, or other manufacturers' systems.

Connection Example With a Whiteboard

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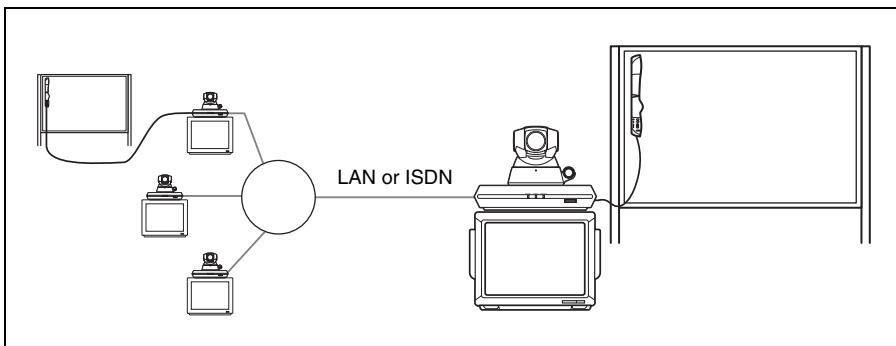
- Be sure to turn off all the equipment before making any connections.
- Do not connect/disconnect the cable with the power on. Doing so may damage the Camera Unit, Communication Terminal or mimio Xi.



Notes on using the mimio Xi

- Do not use any cable other than the dedicated cable supplied with the recorder.
- Attach the capture bar vertically at the left upper corner of the whiteboard.
- The available area captured by the capture bar is limited to within 1300 × 900 mm based on the top left corner of the whiteboard. Anything written on the whiteboard outside the area cannot be captured.
- Use only the stylus, marker and eraser that come with the mimio Xi for writing on a whiteboard.
- Do not connect a device other than the mimio Xi to the WHITE BOARD connector on the Communication Terminal.

Conducting a Videoconference Using a Whiteboard

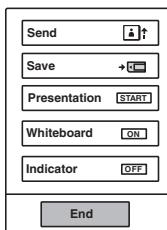


- 1 Start the videoconference.

For the person who intends to send the whiteboard picture

- 2 Press the PUSH ENTER button on the Remote Commander to display the communication submenu on the monitor screen.

Communication submenu

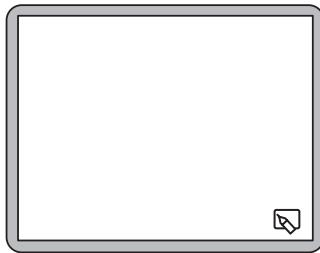


- 3 Press the **↑** or **↓** button on the Remote Commander to select “Whiteboard ON”, then press the PUSH ENTER button.

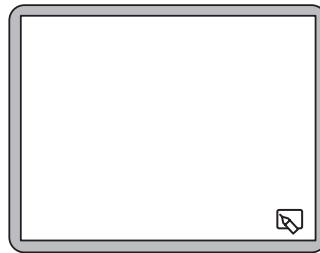
The whiteboard picture and icon appears on the monitors of both the local and remote parties.

When the local party uses the dual monitor mode, it will be displayed on the sub-monitor (second monitor).

Local monitor screen



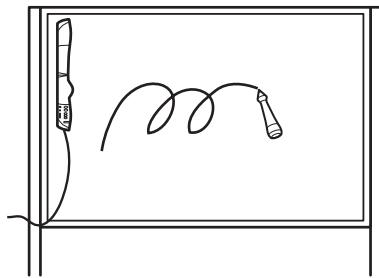
Remote monitor screen



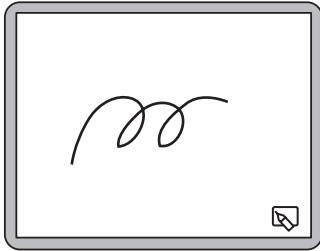
4 Write anything using the stylus, marker or eraser that come with the mimio Xi on the whiteboard.

The notes you are writing are displayed in real-time on the remote and local monitor screens.

Whiteboard



Monitors on the local and remote parties



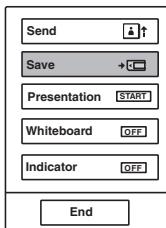
Notes

- Only one whiteboard can be used at a time. If more than two terminals use the whiteboard with the mimio Xi connected, the whiteboard picture written by the party who has set “Whiteboard ON” first will be displayed on the monitors of all the terminals.
- Set “Control by Far End” in the General Setup menu to “On” (page 45). The whiteboard cannot be used for a videoconference unless this item is set to “On” for all the participating terminals.
- If a party participates in the middle of the conference, the monitor of the party displays only the whiteboard picture written from that time. The pictures transmitted before participation are not displayed on his monitor.

To store the notes written on the whiteboard

Display the communication submenu and then select “Save”.

The whiteboard picture displayed on the monitor will be stored in the Memory Stick as a still image.

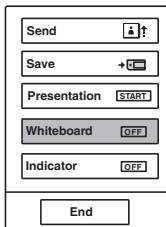


To exit from the whiteboard mode

The whiteboard user should open the communication submenu, select “Whiteboard OFF”, then press the PUSH ENTER button.

The pictures displayed on the monitors of all the terminals switch to the normal camera pictures.

Under this circumstance, any terminal may select “Whiteboard ON”.



Note

Once the conference has ended, you cannot display the notes written on the monitor screen. If you want to do so, storing the notes in a Memory Stick is recommended. See “To store the notes written on the whiteboard”.

Chapter 7: Multipoint Videoconference

This chapter describes how to conduct a multipoint videoconference. For conducting a multipoint videoconference, installation of the optional PCS-323M1 MCU software (for LAN connection) based on the H.323 standard or the optional PCS-320M1 MCU software (for ISDN connection) based on the H.320 standard is required.

Multipoint videoconference among up to ten points including the local site is available when connecting via a LAN.

When connecting via ISDN lines, you can conduct a multipoint videoconference among up to six points including the local site. You can use a normal phone at up to five points over ISDN.

Note

Even if both PCS-323M1 and PCS-320M1 MCU software is installed, you cannot conduct a multipoint videoconference using both LAN and ISDN connections.

Restrictions on the use of the MCU software

When a multipoint videoconference is held via LAN

The bandwidth is automatically set so that the total value of all the points is 2 Mbps maximum. The supported video modes are H.263 and H.261 only.

When a multipoint videoconference is held via ISDN

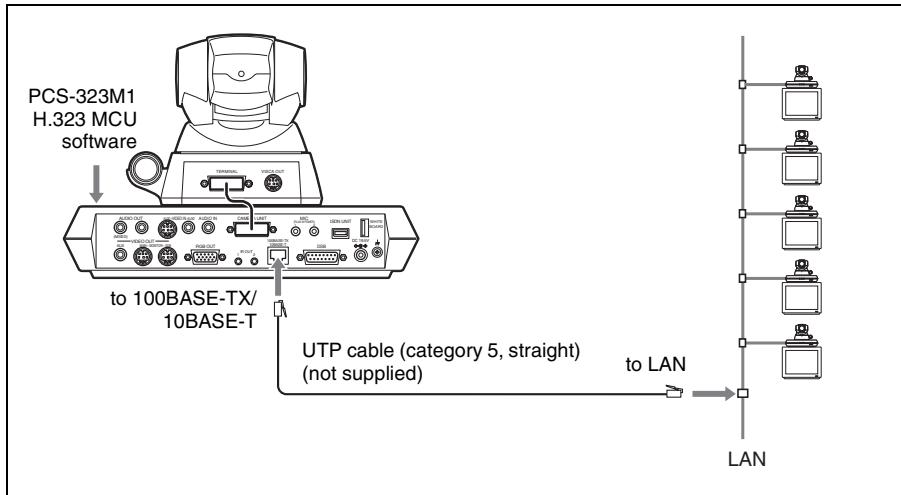
The same number of channels should be used on all the points and the total channels are up to 12B.

The supported video modes are H.263 and H.261 only, and the audio modes G.711, G.722 and G.728 only.

Connection Examples for a Multipoint Videoconference

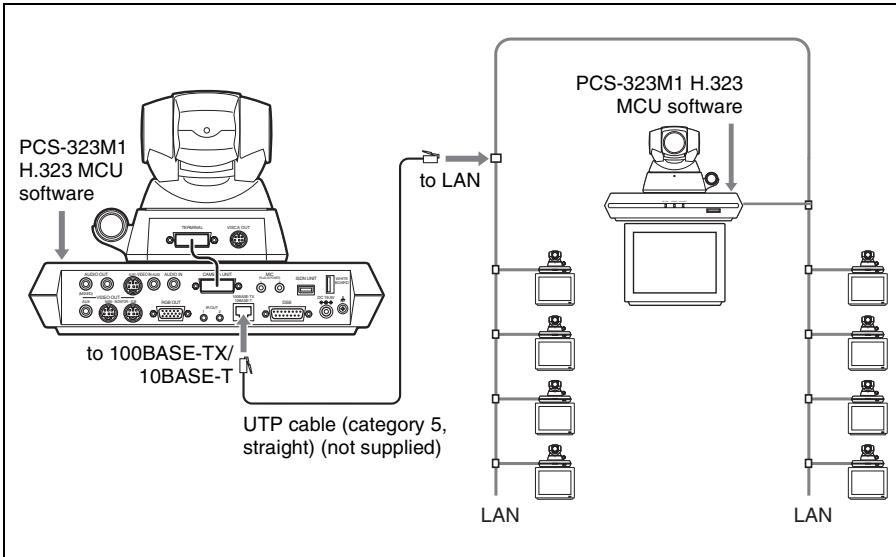
Using the LAN Connection (Up to 6 Points)

Installing the optional PCS-323M1 H.323MCU software in one Communication Terminal allows you to conduct a multipoint videoconference among up to six points.



Using the Cascade Connection via LAN (Up to 10 Points)

Installing the optional PCS-323M1 H.323MCU software in two Communication Terminals enables cascade connection, allowing you to conduct a multipoint videoconference among up to ten points.

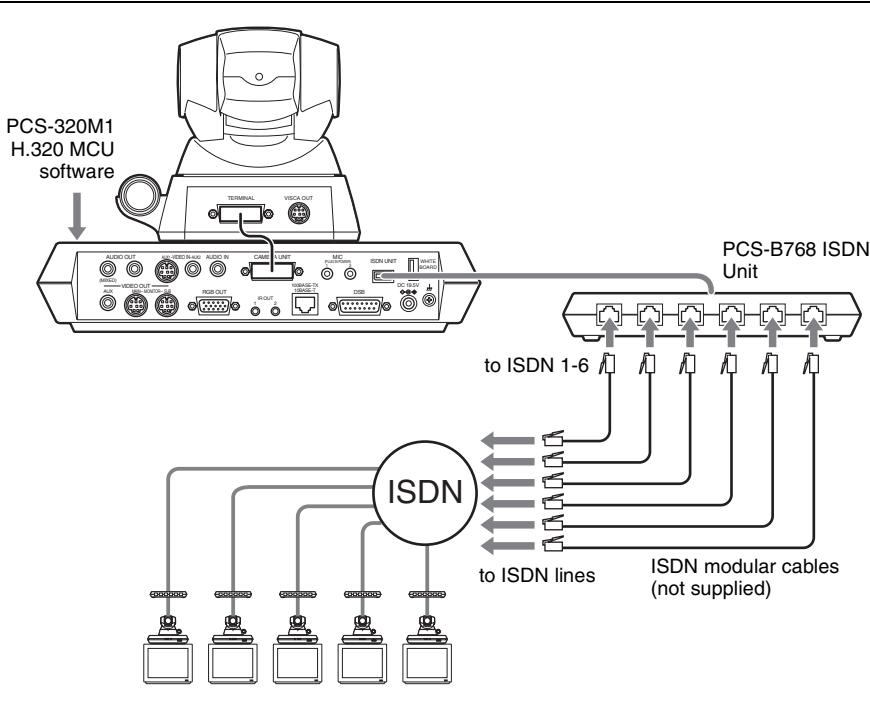


Notes

- Installing the PCS-323M1 H.323 MCU software into three or more Communication Terminals does not allow cascade connection. Note that the third or later terminals should set “Multipoint Mode” to “Off” in the Multipoint Setup menu or in the Setup menu.
- For cascade connection, the “Split” and “Split (Fixed)” modes are not available. Only the “Voice Activate” mode is available.

Using the ISDN Connection

Installing the optional PCS-320M1 H.320MCU software in one Communication Terminal allows you to conduct a multipoint videoconference among up to six points.



About the number of ISDN lines used and number of remote parties for a multipoint conference

Set the number of ISDN channels and the number of remote points in the Multipoint Setup menu. The following combinations are available.

1B × 5: Connects to five points via a 1B channel. (Six-point conference)

2B × 5: Connects to five points via a 2B channel. (Six-point conference)

4B × 3: Connects to three points via a 4B channel. (Four-point conference)

6B × 2: Connects to two points via a 6B channel. (Three-point conference)

To connect with a normal phone

When you are using an ISDN connection, a normal phone can be connected at up to five points.

The 1B connection is only available for a normal phone.

Note

When using the ISDN connections, installing the PCS-320M1 H.320 MCU software into two or more Communication Terminals does not allow cascade connection.

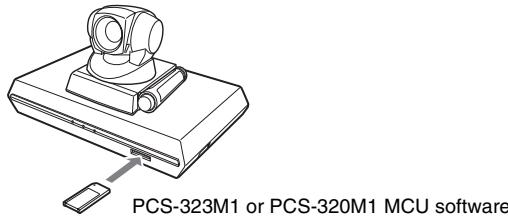
Preparing for a multipoint videoconference

Installing the MCU software

Notes on installing the MCU software

- You cannot install the software if the write-protect tab on the Memory Stick in which the MCU software is stored is set to “LOCK”.
- Once the MCU software is installed in the Communication Terminal, the software will not be used again.
- You cannot install the MCU software which is copied to another Memory Stick with a computer, etc.

- 1 Set the power switch on the right side of the Communication Terminal to the off position (○).
- 2 Insert the “Memory Stick” containing the PCS-323M1 or PCS-320M1 MCU software into the Memory Stick slot.
Insert the “Memory Stick” in the direction of the arrow with the mark facing upward.



- 3 Set the power switch on the right side of the Communication Terminal to the on position (I).
The MCU software is installed in the Communication Terminal.

To check if the installation of the software is completed

The installed software will be shown in “Software Option” of the Machine Information menu.

For details on the Machine Information menu, see “Machine Information Menu” on page 50.

Setting the Multipoint Setup Menu

Before conducting a multipoint videoconference you need to set various items in the Multipoint Setup menu.

Be sure to set “Multipoint Mode” to “On”.

Multipoint Setup

Page: 1/2

Multipoint Mode	On
Broadcast Mode	Split
Number of Lines	2Bx5
LAN Bandwidth	1024 Kbps
Restrict	Auto

Save Cancel

Multipoint Setup

◀Page: 2/2

Video Mode	ALL
Audio Mode	ALL
Display Terminal Name	On
Far End Camera Control	On

Save Cancel

For details on the setting of the items, see “Multipoint Setup Menu” on page 41.

Note

The settings in the Multipoint setup menu have priority over those in the Dial Setup or Answer Setup menu.

Registering the Remote Parties in the Multipoint Connection List

You can register the multipoint connection list that includes all remote parties for a multipoint videoconference in the Phone Book. It allows you to dial all the parties simultaneously.

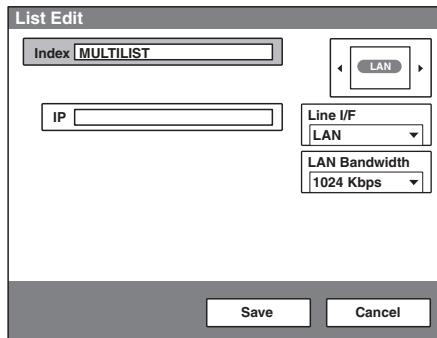
You can enter new remote parties to register the multipoint connection list, or add the parties registered in the Phone Book to the multipoint connection list.

To register a multipoint connection list in the Phone Book

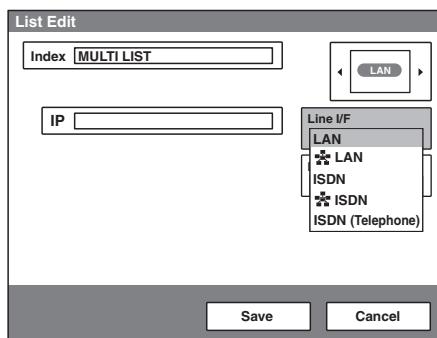
The basic procedure for registration is the same as the registration of a remote party for a point-to-point videoconference. For details on the procedure, see “Registering a New Remote Party” on page 52.

- 1 Select “New Entry” in the Phone Book menu to display the List Edit menu, then enter the name of the multipoint connection list in the Index text box.

For details on entry, see steps 1 to 3 “Registering a New Remote Party” on page 52.



- 2 Select the line interface you are using for multipoint connection. Select “ LAN” to use the LAN connection, and “ ISDN” to use the ISDN connection.



3 Select the line interface icon or a still image to be displayed in the Phone Book.

The icon is shown as “ LAN” or “ ISDN”.

4 Set up the line interface of the remote parties.

When “ LAN” is selected

Select “LAN bandwidth” to be used and enter the IP addresses of all the parties.

When “ ISDN” is selected

Enter the telephone numbers of all the parties.

To register a normal phone, enter the telephone number with “T” at the beginning. (e.g., T0312345678)

For details on the setups, see step 5 in “Registering a New Remote Party” on page 52.

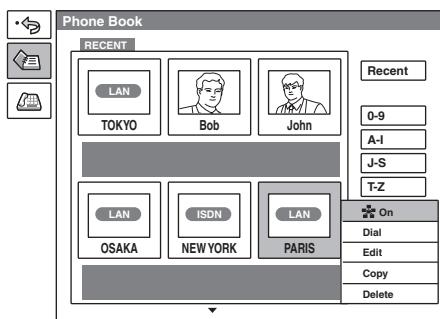
5 Press the **▲** or **▼** button to select “Save”, then press the PUSH ENTER button.

The registration of the multipoint connection list is completed.

To specify a remote party registered in the Phone Book to the multipoint connection list

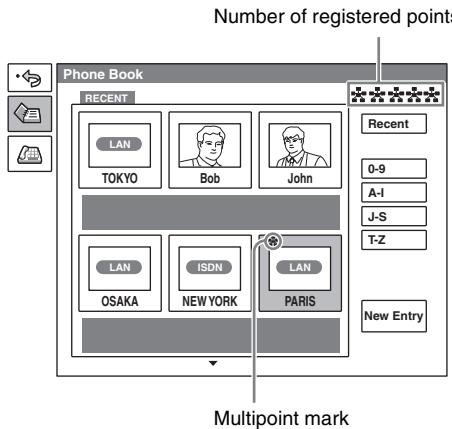
1 Use the **▲**, **▼**, **◀** or **▶** button on the Remote Commander to select the name you want to register in the multipoint connection list.

2 Press the ***** button on the Remote Commander, or press the PUSH ENTER button to open the submenu, press the **▲** or **▼** button to select “ On”, then press the PUSH ENTER button.



The  (multipoint) mark is added to the upper left of the selected name in the list and the remote party is registered in the multipoint connection list.

You can add the  marks for up to five parties using the same procedure as above. The  marks are displayed at the upper right corner of the Phone Book, showing how many points you registered for a multipoint connection.

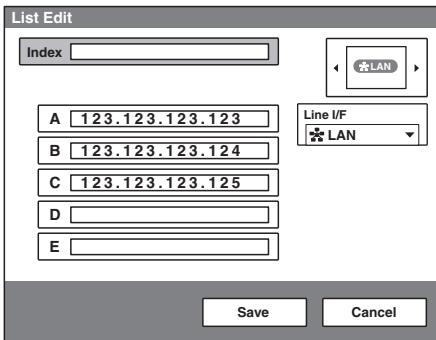


Note

To delete the  mark from the name list, press the ***** button again, or press the PUSH ENTER button to open the submenu, press the **↑** or **↓** button to select “ Off”, then press the PUSH ENTER button.

- 3 Select one of the remote parties with the  mark, then press the PUSH ENTER button.
- 4 Press the **↑** or **↓** button to select “ Edit” from the submenu, then press the PUSH ENTER button.

The List Edit menu appears. All the IP addresses or telephone numbers of the parties marked with  are entered in the number text boxes.



- 5 Enter the name of the multipoint connection list in the Index text box.
- 6 Select “Save”, then press the PUSH ENTER button.

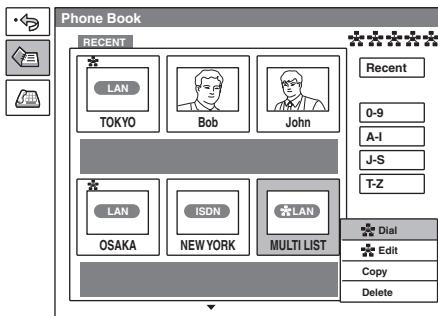
The registration of the multipoint connection list is completed.

Starting a Multipoint Videoconference

Calling Remote Parties

To call remote parties registered in the multipoint connection lists

- 1 Select the multipoint connection list registered in the Phone Book. The multipoint connection lists are marked with “ LAN” or “ ISDN”.
- 2 Press the CONNECT/DISCONNECT ( / ) button on the Remote Commander, or press the PUSH ENTER button to display the submenu, press the  or  button to select “ Dial”, then press the PUSH ENTER button.



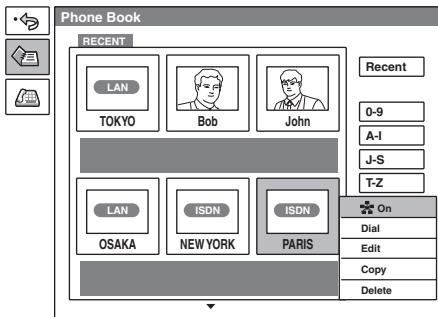
The system begins dialing the numbers of the remote parties registered in the multipoint connection list. “ Dialing (LAN)” or “ Dialing (ISDN)” appears on the monitor screen, and the ON LINE indicator (blue) on the Communication Terminal blinks.

When the system connects to all the remote points, the message “Meeting starts!” appears on the screen, and the ON LINE indicator stops blinking and lights.

To call remote parties by selecting from the Phone Book

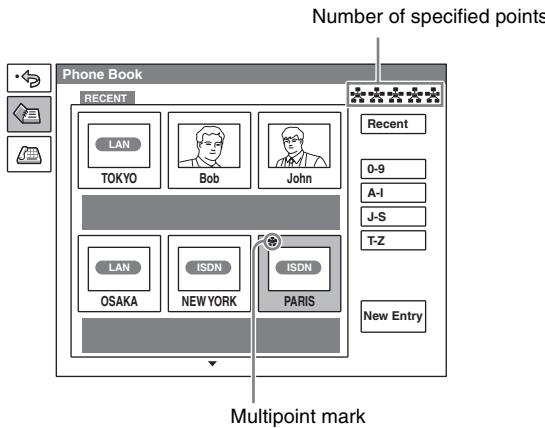
- 1 Select a remote party to which you want to connect for a multipoint videoconference from the Phone Book.

2 Press the ***** button on the Remote Commander, or press the PUSH ENTER button to open the submenu, press the **▲** or **▼** button to select “**✳ On**”, then press the PUSH ENTER button.



The **✳** (multipoint) mark is added to the upper left of the selected name in the Phone Book list and the remote party is specified to the party for multipoint connection.

You can add the **✳** marks for up to five parties using the same procedure as above. The **✳** marks added are displayed at the upper right corner of the Phone Book menu.



Note

To delete the **✳** mark from the name list, press the ***** button again, or press the PUSH ENTER button to open the submenu, press the **▲** or **▼** button to select “**✳ Off**”, then press the PUSH ENTER button.

3 Select one of the remote parties with the **✳** mark.

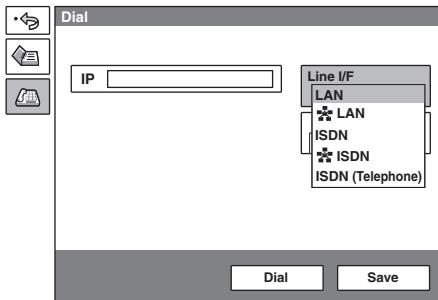
4 Press the CONNECT/DISCONNECT (**📞 / ☎**) button on the Remote Commander, or press the PUSH ENTER button to open the submenu, press the **▲** or **▼** button to select “**✳ Dial**”, then press the PUSH ENTER button.

The system begins dialing the number of the remote party with the  marks. “ Dialing (LAN)” or “ Dialing (ISDN)” appears on the monitor screen, and the ON LINE indicator (blue) on the Communication Terminal blinks. When the system connects to all the parties, the message “Meeting starts!” appears on the screen, and the ON LINE indicator stops blinking and lights.

To call remote parties not registered in the Phone Book

Basic operations are the same as those for starting a point-to-point conference. For details, see “To call a remote party not registered in the Phone Book” on page 61.

- 1 Select “Dial” in the launcher menu to open the Dial menu.
- 2 Select the line interface you are using for multipoint connection under “Line I/F”.
Select “ LAN” to use LAN connection, and “ ISDN” to use ISDN line connection.



- 3 Set up the line interface of the remote parties.

When “ LAN” is selected

Select the LAN bandwidth to be used and enter the IP addresses of all the parties.

When “ ISDN” is selected

Enter the telephone numbers of all the parties.

To register a normal phone, enter the telephone number with “T” at the beginning. (e.g., T0312345678)

For details on the setups, see step 3 in “To call a remote party not registered in the Phone Book” on page 61.

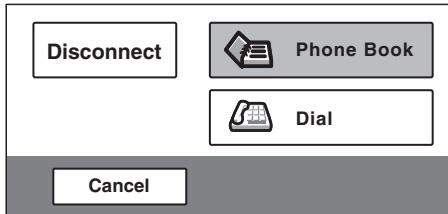
- 4 Select “Dial”, and press the PUSH ENTER button on the Remote Commander. You can also press the CONNECT/DISCONNECT ( / ) button on the Remote Commander.

The system begins dialing the numbers selected in step 3. “ Dialing (LAN)” or “ Dialing (ISDN)” appears on the monitor screen, and the ON LINE indicator (blue) on the Communication Terminal blinks.

When the system connects to all the remote parties, the message “Meeting starts!” appears on the screen, and the ON LINE indicator stops blinking and lights.

To call the second and other remote parties

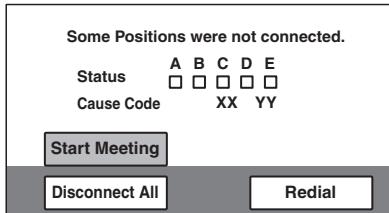
After starting communication with the remote party selected first, press the CONNECT/DISCONNECT ( / ) button on the Remote Commander to open the submenu.



Perform steps 1-4 of the procedure shown in “To call remote parties by selecting from the Phone Book” on page 139 or steps 1-4 of the procedure in “To call remote parties not registered in the Phone Book” on page 141 depending on the registration status of each remote party.

If some points are not connected

The following dialog appears. Select the desired item.



Start Meeting: Starts a conference with remote parties connected.

Disconnect All: Cancels all the connections and restores the launcher menu.

Redial: Redials the numbers of the points that you failed to connect.

Receiving a Call from a Remote Party

Operations are the same as those for a point-to-point conference.

For details, see “Receiving a Call from a Remote Party” on page 68.

Using the Display Control

During a multipoint videoconference with the MCU software installed in the communication Terminal you can control the following operations.

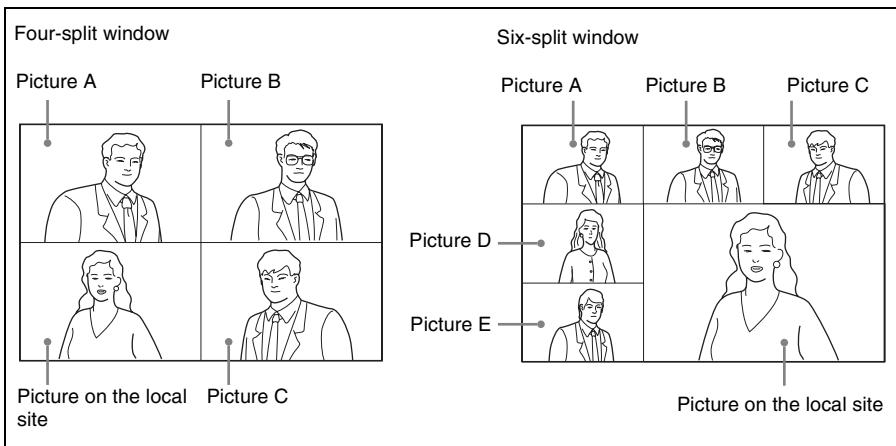
What is “Broadcast Mode”?

You can use the “Split”, “Split (Fixed)”, “Voice Activate” and “Broadcast” modes.

Split mode

This mode allows display of the pictures from the connected remote terminals and the picture of the local terminal by splitting the monitor screen.

According to the connected terminals, four-split windows (1 to 3 terminals connected) or six-split windows (4 and 5 terminals connected) are displayed. Pictures A to C (or A to E) appear in order of connecting.



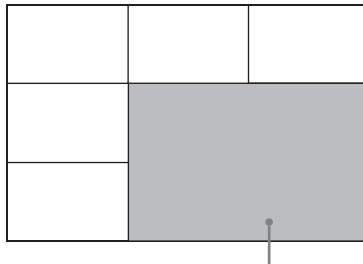
Notes

- When the six-split window is displayed, the System detects the terminal including the loudest sound among all the terminals and the picture of that terminal is replaced with the picture in the lower right window.
- If you switch the broadcast mode from Split mode to Voice Activate mode in which a picture of a specified terminal is shown in full screen during communication, the location of Pictures A to E will be changed when the Split mode is restored.
- When your system is in the Split or Split (Fixed) mode, you cannot control the camera on any connected remote terminals.

Split (Fixed) mode

You can specify a picture among the split windows to fix it in the lower right window for the six-split mode. Pictures other than the specified one will be displayed in the split windows in order of connecting.

Six-split window



The picture of the specified terminal is always displayed in this window.

Voice Activate mode

Detects the terminal with the speaker with the loudest voice among the connected terminals, and displays the picture of that terminal in full screen on all the sites. The “V.A” indicator appears when the Voice Activate mode is activated. The indicator with alphabet showing the terminal of the displayed picture also appears. The indicator is displayed while the local picture is broadcast.

Broadcast mode

You can specify the terminal to display the picture of that terminal in full screen on all the sites. The indicator with alphabet showing the terminal of the displayed picture also appears. The indicator is displayed while the local picture is broadcast.

Note

If the connected terminal transmits the computer picture via the Data Solution Box while the picture is displayed in the Split mode, the Split mode is canceled and the picture from that terminal will be displayed in full screen.

Broadcast Modes and Displayed Windows

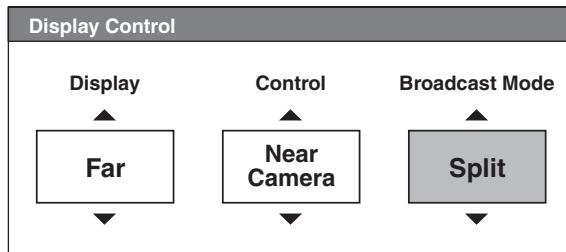
The chart described below shows the window displayed on the monitor screen when you select one of the Broadcast Modes. According to the connection status of your system, some modes cannot be selected. In the connection status with no window shown in the chart, the corresponding mode is not available.

Connection status		LAN connection	LAN cascade connection	ISDN connection
Connecting diagram		 (See page 131.)	 (See page 132.)	 (See page 133.)
Connecting points (max.)		6	10	6
MCU software required		PCS-323M1 × 1	PCS-323M1 × 2	PCS-320M1 × 1
Broadcast Mode	Split	1-3 terminals connected	Four-split window 	—
		4-5 terminals connected	Six-split window 	—
	Split (Fixed)	1-3 terminals connected	—	—
		4-5 terminals connected	Six-split window 	—
	Voice Activate		Full screen 	Full screen
	Broadcast		Full screen 	—
				Full screen

Switching the Broadcast Mode

At the beginning of the conference the mode set with “Broadcast Mode” in the Multipoint Setup menu is activated. You can switch the mode during communication.

- 1 Press the FAR/NEAR button on the Remote Commander.
The Display Control menu appears.
- 2 Use the **↑**, **↓**, **←** or **→** button on the Remote Commander to select “Broadcast Mode”, then press the PUSH ENTER button.



Split: Selects the Split mode.

Split (A Fixed): Specifies the picture of the terminal connected first to fix in the Split (Fixed) mode.

Split (B Fixed): Specifies the picture of the terminal connected second to fix in the Split (Fixed) mode.

Split (C Fixed): Specifies the picture of the terminal connected third to fix in the Split (Fixed) mode.

Split (D Fixed): Specifies the picture of the terminal connected fourth to fix in the Split (Fixed) mode.

Split (E Fixed): Specifies the picture of the terminal connected fifth to fix in the Split (Fixed) mode.

Split (Near End Fixed): Fixes the local picture in the Split (Fixed) mode.

Voice Activate: Selects the Voice Activate mode.

Self Broadcast: Broadcasts the near end (local) party in the Broadcast mode.

A Broadcast: Broadcasts the picture of the terminal connected first in the Broadcast mode.

B Broadcast: Broadcasts the picture of the terminal connected second in the Broadcast mode.

C Broadcast: Broadcasts the picture of the terminal connected third in the Broadcast mode.

D Broadcast: Broadcasts the picture of the terminal connected fourth in the Broadcast mode.

E Broadcast: Broadcasts the picture of the terminal connected fifth in the Broadcast mode.

Stop Broadcast: Stops broadcasting in the Broadcast Mode.

To display the local picture in the Voice Activate mode

You can display the local picture only on your monitor screen while the broadcast mode remains in Voice Activate mode.

1 Press the FAR/NEAR button on the Remote Commander.

The Display Control menu appears.

2 Use the \uparrow , \downarrow , \leftarrow or \rightarrow button to select “Near” under “Display”, then press the PUSH ENTER button.

The local picture appears on your monitor screen.

To restore the Voice Activate mode

Press the FAR/NEAR button on the Remote Commander again, and select “Far” under “Display”.

Receiving the Broadcast Requested From Any Other Terminal

When you receive “Self Broadcast” command from one of the terminals connected, the picture of that terminal is broadcast in full screen.

When you receive “Stop Broadcast” command from one of the terminals connected, the system returns to the previous mode.

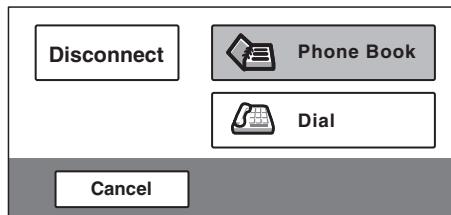
Notes

- If you have received “Self Broadcast” command from another terminal or you have selected the picture to be broadcast, the “Self Broadcast” command is rejected and the operation above will not be carried out.
- When you use a cascade connection, the Video Communication System supports the Voice Activate mode only. Therefore, the operation above will not be carried out.

Ending the Multipoint Videoconference

- 1 Press the CONNECT/DISCONNECT ( / ) button on the Remote Commander.

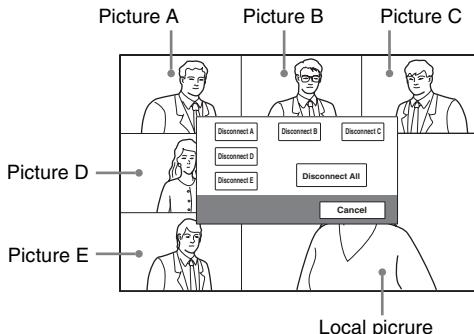
The following submenu appears.



- 2 Use the , , , or  button to select “Disconnect”, then press the PUSH ENTER button.

The screen changes to the split window screen and the following menu appears. The location of the pictures in the split windows A to E (or A to C) is restored to that when the terminals were connected.

You can display the terminal names in this window if you set “Display Terminal Name” to “On” in the Multipoint Setup menu.



- 3 Use the , , , or  button to select the terminal to be disconnected, then press the PUSH ENTER button.

Disconnect A: Disconnects the terminal connected first.

Disconnect B: Disconnects the terminal connected second.

Disconnect C: Disconnects the terminal connected third.

Disconnect D: Disconnects the terminal connected fourth.

Disconnect E: Disconnects the terminal connected fifth.

Disconnect All: Disconnects all the terminals.

The selected terminal is disconnected.

You can disconnect all the terminals by pressing the CONNECT/DISCONNECT ( / ) button again.

To cancel the disconnection

Select “Cancel” in step 3, then press the PUSH ENTER button.

Notes on Secondary Terminals

If there is a terminal that is not adequate for the settings set by this system, that terminal is called the secondary terminal.

Communication capabilities between the secondary terminal and this system are shown below.

- Sending/receiving audio
- Receiving video from the secondary terminal
- Disables transmission of video to the secondary terminal

For details on the secondary terminal, see Glossary on page 180.

When a normal phone is connected

The audio mode of the other terminals is not affected if a normal phone is connected or disconnected any time.

If terminals with the 2B and 1B connections are mixed among the connected points when the ISDN line is set to 2B

The conference is held via a 2B connection with the terminals with 2B connection. The 1B terminal is regarded as a secondary terminal. This system sends or receives audio, but does not send video to the secondary terminal. When all 2B terminals end the conference, it will continue via a 1B connection and transmission/receipt of audio/video becomes available.

When terminals with different number of lines are mixed in a multipoint videoconference

The number of lines for the ISDN interface can be set up to 6B.

The terminals with a different number of lines set from that of the local party will be regarded as secondary, and the transmission of video is not available.

When a 56K network is mixed among the terminals if the conference is held via 64K network

The conference automatically changes to that via 56 K network. Terminals that cannot change to that network are regarded as secondary terminals, and the transmission of video is not available.

When a terminal with different audio mode is connected and its video bit rate is different

The conference is conducted in the video mode according to the terminal with the lowest video bit rate. A terminal that cannot fit this rate is regarded as a secondary terminal, and the transmission of video is not available.

When a terminal with lower video frame rate is connected

The system sends video to all the terminals according to the lowest video frame rate in the terminals connected.

When a terminal whose video mode is QCIF standard only

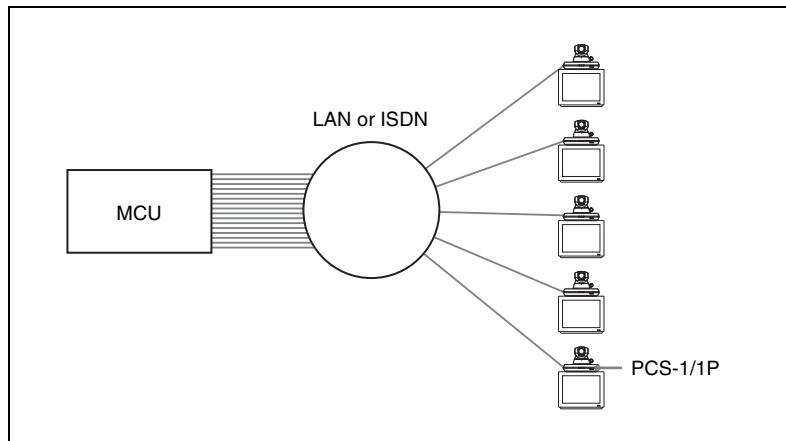
The system does not send video to the QCIF terminal.

When “Video Mode” is set to “H.263”

The H.263 mode is available only when the video mode in all the terminals is H.263 mode. If a terminal with the H.261 mode is included, the conference is held in the H.261 mode.

Connecting the External MCU

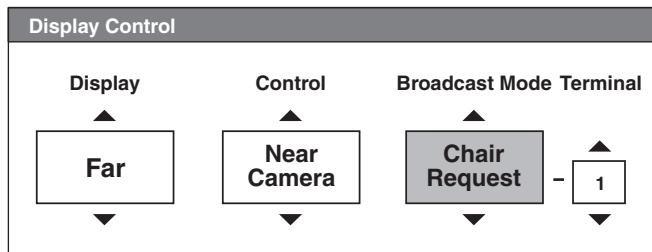
Connecting the external MCU (Multipoint Control Unit) enables conduct of a multipoint videoconference unless the MCU software is installed into the Communication Terminal.



Activating the Chair Control

If the MCU for the ISDN connection is equipped with the chair control function, the chair control can be activated for up to 99 terminals connected. The chair control mode allows you to specify any terminal to display on the monitor screen, to broadcast the specified picture to all the terminals, or to broadcast the local picture to all the terminals.

- 1 Press the FAR/NEAR button on the Remote Commander.
The Display Control menu opens.
- 2 Use the \uparrow , \downarrow , \leftarrow or \rightarrow button to select “Chair Request” under “Broadcast Mode”.



- 3 Press the PUSH ENTER button on the Remote Commander.

The chair control is activated and you can control up to 99 terminals. The chair control feature is canceled if you set “Broadcast Mode” to “Chair Release”.

Note

When you operate incorrectly, the message “MCU operation rejected.” will appear on the monitor screen.

Displaying the picture of the selected terminal

- 1 Open the Display Control menu.
- 2 Use the **↑, ↓, ← or →** button to select “Receive” under “Broadcast Mode”.
- 3 Use the **↑, ↓, ← or →** button to select the number of the terminal you want to view in the box under “Terminal”, then press the PUSH ENTER button. The picture of the selected terminal is displayed on the local screen.

Notes

- When no terminal is selected, the picture of the smallest terminal number will be displayed.
- The terminal number is assigned to a terminal based on the information on each terminal obtained from the MCU.

To broadcast the selected picture to all terminals

- 1 Open the Display Control menu.
- 2 Use the **↑, ↓, ← or →** button to select “Broadcast” under “Broadcast Mode”.
- 3 Use the **↑, ↓, ← or →** button to select the number of the terminal you want to broadcast in the box under “Terminal”, then press the PUSH ENTER button. The picture of the selected terminal is displayed on the local screen and is broadcast to all terminals.

To broadcast a local picture to all terminals

- 1 Open the Display Control menu.
- 2 Use the **↑, ↓, ← or →** button to select “Broadcast” under “Broadcast Mode”.
- 3 Use the **↑, ↓, ← or →** button to display “0” in the box under “Terminal”, then press the PUSH ENTER button. The local picture is broadcast to all terminals. The  indicator is shown on the monitor screen.

Exiting the chair control

- 1 Open the Display Control menu.
- 2 Use the **↑, ↓, ←** or **→** button to select “Chair Release” under “Broadcast Mode”.
The chair control is not available for the local party.

Multipoint Attribute

Number	Attribute	Value (H.320 MCU)	Value (H.323 MCU)
1	Maximum number of terminals that can be connected to a single MCU	5 (6 when including the local terminal)	5 (6 when including the local terminal)
2	Maximum number of concurrent (independent) conferences that can be supported in a single MCU	1	1
3	Maximum number of ports that can be connected to other MCUs	0	1
4.1	Network interfaces at each port	BRI	LAN
4.2	Restricted network capability	Restrict_Required	—
5	Transmission rates available at each port	1B, 2B, 4B, 6B	Total rate of all points Max. 1920 Kbps
6	Audio Processor	Equipped	Equipped
6.1	mixed/switched noise/echo suppression on “silent” ports	Mixed No	Mixed No
6.2	audio algorithm at each port	G.711, G.728, G.722	G.711, G.728, G.722
7	Video Processor (motion pictures)	Equipped	Equipped
7.1	switched/mixed	Voice activated/four-split/six-split/user control	Voice activated/four-split/six-split/user control
7.2	video algorithm at each port	H.261, H.263	H.261, H.263
8	Data Processor	Equipped	Equipped
8.1	data broadcast facility, LSD data broadcast facility, HSD	Equipped No	— —
8.2	MLP Processor	Equipped	—
9	Encryption	No support	No support

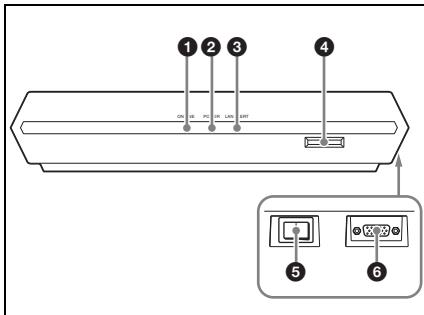
Number	Attribute	Value (H.320 MCU)	Value (H.323 MCU)
10	Method of choosing Selected Communication Mode - SCM	Custom: Number of lines (1B/2B/4B/6B) Audio algorithm (G.711, G.728, G.722) Auto: Video frame rate (7.5/10/15/30fps) Video encoding mode (CIF/QCIF) Fixed or switched automatically: Video algorithm (H.261 fixed, H.261 or H.263 switched automatically) Restrict (56K fixed/Auto)	Custom: LAN bandwidth (Total rate of all points, max. 1920 Kbps) Audio algorithm (G.711, G.728, G.722) Auto: Video frame rate (7.5/10/15/30fps) Video encoding mode (CIF/QCIF) Fixed or switched automatically: Video algorithm (H.261 fixed, H.261 or H.263 switched automatically)
11	Capability of secondary terminals	Capable of audio sending/receiving and video receiving only. Capable of audio sending/receiving only via a normal phone.	Capable of audio sending/receiving and video receiving only. Capable of audio sending/receiving only via a normal phone.
12	Call setup provision(s)	No call/receive reservation	No call/receive reservation
13	Control capabilities	—	—
13.1	Numbering of terminals Simple chair control using BAS	No No	Equipped No
13.2	MLP facilities [refer to ITU-T T series]	No	No
13.3	H.224 (simplex data)	Equipped	Equipped
14	Cascading	No	Equipped
14.1	Fixed rates (“simple”)	No	No
14.2	Master/Slave	No	Equipped
15	Terminal identification	No	Equipped
16	MBE capability Register necessary information such as the telephone number and index number.	No	—

Appendix

Location and Function of Parts and Controls

PCS-P1/P1P Communication Terminal

Front/Right side



① ON LINE indicator

Blinks during dialing or answering and lights in blue when connection is completed. It turns off when the system is disconnected.

② POWER indicator

Lights in green when the power switch is set to on (1). Lights in orange when the Communication Terminal is set to standby mode.

③ LAN ALERT indicator

Lights in yellow when packet error (loss) or link error occurs during communication.

④ Memory Stick slot

Insert a "Memory Stick" (not supplied) into this slot.

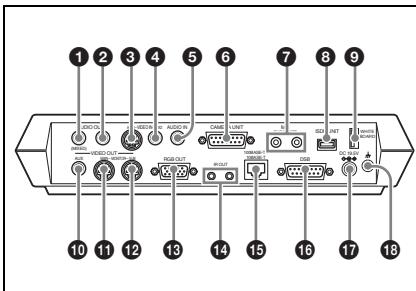
⑤ Power switch

Turns on/off the Communication Terminal. The power is on when the switch is set to the 1 side and off when the switch is set to the 0 side.

⑥ AUX CONTROL connector (D-sub 9-pin)

Used for service.

Rear



① AUDIO OUT (MIXED) jack (phono jack)

Used when recording the sound to minute a conference. The mixed sounds of a local and remote parties are output from this jack.

② AUDIO OUT jack (phono jack)

Connect to the audio input of the TV monitor.

③ VIDEO IN AUX 1 connector (mini DIN 4-pin)

Connect to the video output of external video equipment.

④ VIDEO IN AUX 2 jack (phono jack)

Connect to the video output of external video equipment.

⑤ AUDIO IN jack (phono jack)

Connect to the audio output of the optional VCR or audio equipment.

⑥ CAMERA UNIT connector

Connect to the TERMINAL connector on the rear of the Camera.

7 MIC1/MIC2 (PLUG IN POWER) jacks (minijack)
Connect to the optional PCS-A1 or PCS-A300 microphone. Power is supplied to the microphone from the Communication Terminal.

8 ISDN UNIT connector
Connect to the TERMINAL connector on the optional PCS-B768 ISDN Unit.

9 WHITE BOARD connector
Connect to the optional mimio Xi.

10 VIDEO OUT AUX jack (phono)
Connect to the video input of the TV monitor or VCR.

11 VIDEO OUT MONITOR MAIN connector (mini DIN 4-pin)
Connect to the S-video input on the TV monitor or VCR.

12 VIDEO OUT MONITOR SUB connector (mini DIN 4-pin)
Connect to the S-video input on the second TV monitor when the system uses the dual monitor mode.

13 RGB OUT connector (D-sub 15-pin)
Connect to the RGB input of the optional projector or display unit.

14 IR OUT 1/2 jacks (minijack)
Connect the supplied IR repeater. Connect the IR repeater for the monitor connected to the VIDEO OUT MONITOR MAIN connector to the IR OUT 1 jack, and the IR repeater for the monitor connected to the VIDEO OUT MONITOR SUB connector to the IR OUT 2 jack.

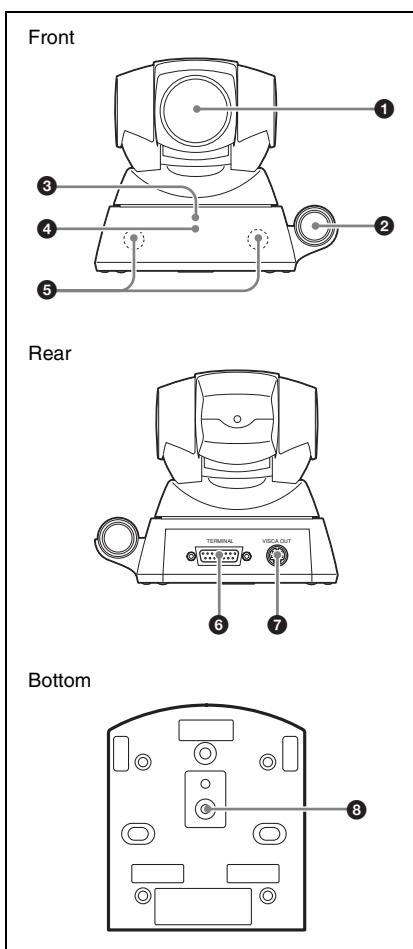
15 100BASE-TX/10BASE-T connector (8-pin modular)
Used to conduct a conference via a LAN. Connect to a hub using the category 5 cable.

16 DSB connector (D-sub 15-pin)
Connect to the TERMINAL connector on the optional PCS-DSB1 Data Solution Box.

17 DC 19.5V jack
Connect the supplied PCS-AC195 AC power adaptor.

18 $\frac{1}{4}$ (ground) terminal
Connect a ground wire.

PCS-C1/C1P Camera Unit



① Lens

② Microphone

③ POWER indicator (green)

Lights when the power switch on the Communication Terminal is set to on and goes out when it is set to off or the Terminal is set to standby mode.

④ Remote sensor

Point the Remote Commander to the sensor when operating this System.

⑤ Infrared sensor

Receives the infrared wireless signal from the optional PCS-DS150 Document Stand. The received signal is used as object input.

⑥ TERMINAL connector

Connect to the CAMERA UNIT connector on the Communication Terminal.

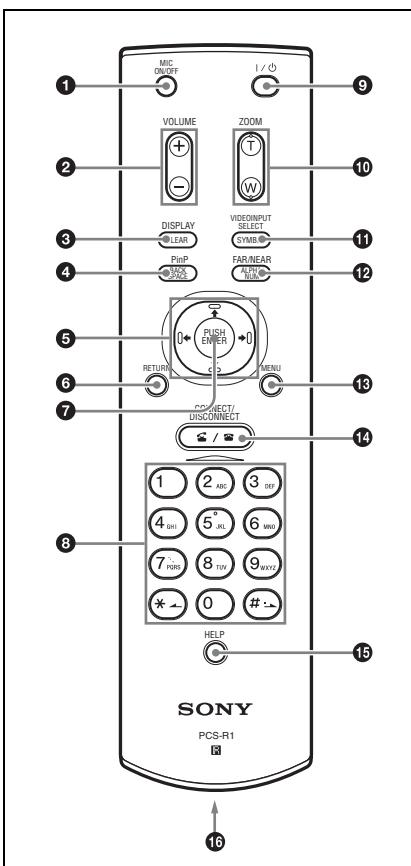
⑦ VISCA OUT connector

The connector does not function with this System.

⑧ Tripod hole

Use to attach the camera on a tripod.

PCS-R1 Remote Commander



You can set for a beep not to sound by pressing the button on the Remote Commander with the Audio Setup menu.

For the setting, see "Audio Setup Menu" on page 42.

① MIC ON/OFF button

Cuts off the local sound to be sent to a remote party. To restore the sound, press the button again.

② VOLUME +/- button

Adjusts the volume of the sound received from a remote party.
+: to increase the volume
-: to decrease the volume

③ DISPLAY (CLEAR) button

Switches the picture displayed on the monitor screen.
Deletes a line when used for character input.

④ PinP (BACK SPACE) button

Displays a window picture when pressed during communication.
Each time you press this button, the location of the window picture changes.
Pressing the button displays the picture in full screen while the Camera menu opens.
When used for character input, deletes the character you entered last.

⑤ Arrow buttons (↑/↓/←/→)

Used to select the menu or make various settings in the menu. Also used for camera angle adjustment.

⑥ RETURN button

Used to return to the previous layer in the menu.

⑦ PUSH ENTER button

Executes the selection or setting in the menu and goes to the next layer.

⑧ Number (0-9, #, *) buttons

Used to enter the letters or numerals of a telephone number, etc.
Used for focus, brightness and backlight compensation adjustments.

⑨  (power on/off) button

Sets the Communication Terminal to standby mode when it is turned on.
Turns on the Communication Terminal when it is in standby.

⑩ ZOOM (T/W) buttons

Zooms in or out.
T: to enlarge the picture
W: to reduce the picture

⑪ VIDEO INPUT SELECT**(SYMBOL) button**

Selects the video input signal. Each time you press the button, the input signal switches.
Used to enter a symbol for character input.

⑫ FAR/NEAR (ALPHA/NUM) button

Switches the picture on a local or remote site.
Switches the input mode between alphabets and numerals for character input.

⑬ MENU button

Used to display a menu.

⑭ CONNECT/DISCONNECT ( / ) button

Used to connect or disconnect a remote party for a conference.

⑮ HELP button

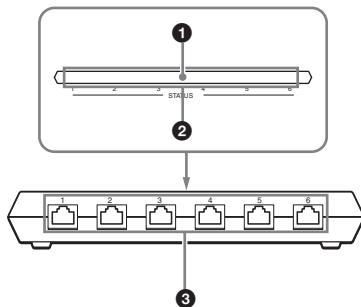
Used to show the help guide.

⑯ Battery compartment (rear)

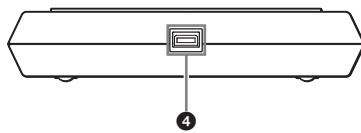
Insert two size AA (R6) batteries.

PCS-B768 ISDN Unit (Optional)

Front/Upper panel



Rear



① STATUS indicator

Lights in orange when power is supplied to the ISDN Unit. When initializing is complete, blinks in green.

② STATUS 1-6 indicators

Lights in orange when link synchronization of each ISDN connector is established. Lights in yellow when each ISDN line is connected.

③ ISDN 1-6 terminals (8-pin modular jack)

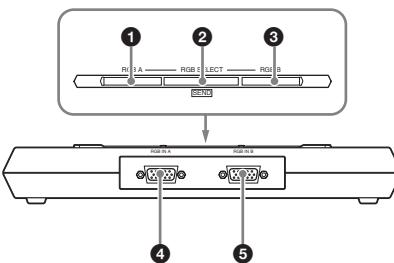
Connect to the ISDN lines using the ISDN modular cable.

④ TERMINAL connector

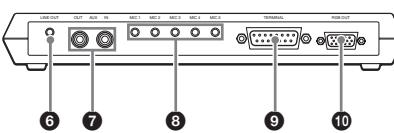
Connect to the ISDN UNIT connector on the Communication Terminal with the interface cable supplied with the ISDN Unit.

PCS-DSB1 Data Solution Box (Optional)

Front/Upper panel



Rear



① RGB A input select button and indicator

Selects the video input from the video equipment connected to the RGB IN A connector.

② SEND button and indicator

Sends the selected input picture to the Communication Terminal.

③ RGB B input select button and indicator

Selects the video input from the video equipment connected to the RGB IN B connector.

④ RGB IN A connector (D-sub 15-pin)

Connects to the RGB output connector on a computer, etc.

⑤ RGB IN B connector (D-sub 15-pin)

Connects to the RGB output connector on a computer, etc.

⑥ LINE OUT jack (stereo minijack)

Connect to the audio input jack on the active speaker, etc.
Outputs monaural sound.

⑦ AUX IN/OUT jacks (phono jack)

Used to audio input/output from/to external equipment.

⑧ MIC 1-MIC 5 jacks (minijack)

Connect to the optional PCS-A1 or PCS-A300 microphone.

⑨ TERMINAL connector (D-sub 15-pin)

Connect to the DSB connector on the Communication Terminal using the interface cable supplied with the Data Solution Box.

⑩ RGB OUT connector (D-sub 15-pin)

Outputs the video signal to a projector, TV monitor, etc.

On Screen Messages

Check the following if a message appears on the TV monitor when operating the Communication Terminal.

Message	Meaning
Incorrect dialing setup.	Make sure the selected entry is correctly registered.
CANNOT COMPLETE CONNECTION (The following code and message appear.)	—
0 Unknown network error:	Try again later.
1 Number does not exist:	Check the number and try again.
2,3,6 Network congestion:	Try again later.
16 Normal disconnection:	(The line has been disconnected normally.)
17 Line is busy:	Try again later.
18,19 System not responding:	Check if the remote system is connected.
20 No such subscriber	Confirm the site number..
21 Call rejected:	Check if the remote system is connected.
22 Called party number changed:	Check the number and try again.
26 Connection restoration request:	Try again later.
27 Remote system out of order:	Check if the remote system is operational.
28 Invalid number entered:	Check the number and try again.
31, 34, 41 – 44, 47 Network not available:	Try again later.
50 Not a Subscriber:	Check the remote party's facility contract.
57,58 Bearer capability not authorized:	Check if "Restrict" is set correctly.
70 Restricted capability:	Set "Restrict" to "56K" and try again.
88 Terminal attribute error:	Check the connection of the remote system.
91, 95 – 102, 111 Protocol error:	Turn off and restart the system and try again.
128 H.221 negotiation timeout:	Turn off and restart the system and try again.
132 Invalid SPID:	Reregister the SPID.
134 Physical link synchronization error:	Check the connection of the ISDN cable.
144, 145 Bonding negotiation timeout:	Turn off and restart the system and try again.
177 LAN connection timeout:	Try again later.
178 LAN connection rejected:	Try again later.
179 DNS error:	Please check DNS.

Message	Meaning
180 Dialing your own number is invalid.	Please check the IP address of the remote party.
181 GateKeeper error.	Please check the IP address of the remote party.
Busy line - Connection not possible.	The telephone line of the remote party is busy and cannot be connected.
Far end inactive	The remote party operates the menu, and the still picture cannot be sent.
System not responding.	Check if the remote system is connected.
Close this menu to connect line	Close the menu when starting a conference.
Cannot establish all connections	Check the telephone number of the remote party.
Connection time out.	Wait for a while and then try dialing again.
Communication error	Wait for a while and then try dialing again.
Configuration error	Wait for a while and then try dialing again.
Command is rejected by MCU.	The function is not available when external MCU is connected.
Corruptive data stream. Terminating the connection	A signal error occurred. The line connections are compelled to be disconnected.
Memory full	The memory capacity of the “Memory Stick” is full.
Input title	Input an index title.
Operation disabled	—
Wrong password	The password is not correct. Enter the correct password.
01H LAN configuration error (IP address)	The IP address is not proper.
02H LAN configuration error (Netmask)	The netmask is not proper.
03H LAN configuration error (MAC address)	The MAC address is not proper.
04H LAN configuration error (DHCP error)	The IP address and netmask cannot be obtained.
05H Gatekeeper registration error	The setting of the Gatekeeper is not proper.
06H SNMP error	SNMP is not set properly.
LAN configuration error (Gatekeeper)	The setting of the Gatekeeper is not proper.
LAN configuration error (SNMP error)	The setting of the SNMP is not proper.
LAN configuration error	The settings in the LAN Setup menu are not proper.
Memory Stick error.	The format of the “Memory Stick” is wrong.
General error.	—

Message	Meaning
No Memory Stick.	Insert a "Memory Stick".
Memory Stick write-protected.	Release the lock of the erasure prevention switch on the "Memory Stick".
Memory full.	The data has been saved in the "Memory Stick" to its full capacity.
Memory Stick file error.	The file format of the "Memory Stick" is incorrect or abnormal.
Memory Stick file decode error.	Decoding the JPEG file has failed.
Memory Stick size error.	The file size of the "Memory Stick" is not acceptable.
There are no images recorded in the Memory Stick.	No images are recorded in the "Memory Stick".
File error.	There is an abnormality in the file.
File size error.	The file size is not acceptable.
File decode error.	Decoding the JPEG file has failed.
Format error.	The "Memory Stick" cannot be formatted.
Settings cannot be changed during communication.	Change the setting after disconnecting the system.
The still images were not sent.	Transmission of the still images has failed.
The presentation screen can not be sent.	Transmission of the RGB data from the Data Solution Box has failed.
Multipoint connection to this participant was not made.	Multipoint connection with this party is not available.
The LAN cannot be used.	You cannot use the LAN connection.
The DATA SOLUTION BOX cannot be used.	You cannot use the Data Solution Box connected.
Unknown device is connected.	An unacceptable device is connected to the WHITE BOARD connector.
ISDN UNIT is not available.	Communication with the ISDN unit cannot be made.
No more cascade connections are enabled.	Installing the MCU software into three or more Communication Terminals does not allow cascade connection.
Cascade connection via ISDN is not available.	You cannot use cascade connection when your system is connected via ISDN.
Cannot send RGB data while receiving.	While you are receiving an RGB picture from another terminal, you cannot send an RGB picture from equipment connected to the Data Solution Box.
A still image is being sent or received. The Data Solution Box is not usable.	While you are sending or receiving a still image, you cannot send or receive the RGB picture via the Data Solution Box.

Message	Meaning
Connection with the Data Solution Box is not correct. Please reset the system.	Connection between the Communication Terminal and the Data Solution Box is not correct. Turn off the Communication Terminal, then turn it on again.
Fan in the Data Solution Box does not work properly. The Data Solution Box is not usable.	The fan equipped with the Data Solution Box is not working properly. You cannot use the Data Solution Box.
Whiteboard cannot be used.	The whiteboard can be used for a videoconference only between PCS-1/1P systems.
Battery in the stylus could be weak. Replace the battery.	The battery in the stylus for the whiteboard is low. Replace the battery in the stylus with a new one.

The following messages indicate the state of the system. No action is required.

Message	Meaning
Meeting starts!	Connection with the remote party has been completed, and you can now start a conference.
Starting connection.	After receiving a call from the remote party the system starts connecting.
Meeting ends.	Operations for ending the conference have been completed.
Please wait.	The data is being saved.
Installation completed.	Installing the software is completed.
Transmission of the still picture is completed.	A still picture has been transmitted to the remote party.
Still image transmission cancelled.	Transmission of a still image has been cancelled.
Load a camera angle saved to Preset number 1 (-6).	The camera angle and zoom setting has been changed to that registered in Preset number 1 (-6).
Still image saved.	The still image has been saved to the "Memory Stick".
Registered to Preset number 1 (-6).	The camera angle and zoom setting has been registered in Preset number 1 (-6).
Terminal A (or B, C, D, E) has disconnected.	During a multipoint videoconference the remote party A (or B, C, D, E) has been disconnected.
Site A (or B, C, D, E) has disconnected.	During a multipoint videoconference the remote party A (or B, C, D, E) has ended the conference.
The still image from the object input has been transmitted.	The still image input from the Document Stand has been transmitted.
The slide show is over.	The slide show has been ended.
The 1st (-5th) position has been selected.	The terminal on the 1st (-5th) site for a multipoint videoconference has been selected from the Phone Book.
The terminal participated in the conference.	The remote party of the displayed terminal participates in the multipoint videoconference.

Message	Meaning
The terminal has dropped out of the conference.	The displayed terminal ends the multipoint videoconference.
Viewing the terminal. [Terminal name]	The picture of the displayed terminal can be seen on the screen.
Now upgrading. Wait for a while. Be sure not to turn off your system while upgrading.	The software is now upgrading. Be sure not to turn off the Communication Terminal until the upgrading is complete. Doing so may cause malfunction of the system.
Cascade connection is complete.	Cascade connection with the terminals has been completed.
Cascade connection has been made. Split mode is not available.	Cascade connection with the terminals has been made. You cannot display split windows.

Troubleshooting

If the Communication Terminal does not function correctly, check the following.

Symptom	Cause	Solution
The power is not turned on.	The power switch is not set to on.	Set the power switch to on (1) (page 23).
	The batteries in the Remote Commander are low or dead.	Replace the batteries with new ones (page 21).
Three indicators on the front of the Communication Terminal blink.	The fan inside the Terminal stops.	Turn off the system immediately and consult with Sony dealer.
No sound or the volume is very low.	The volume of the System is too low.	Adjust the sound volume by pressing the VOLUME +/- buttons on the Remote Commander (page 26).
	The volume of the TV monitor is too low.	Adjust the volume of the TV monitor.
	The microphone on the remote party is turned off.	Ask the remote party to turn on the microphone.
	“Mic Select” is not set properly.	Set up “Mic Select” properly according to the microphone to be used (page 43).
	Audio input is not selected properly.	Set up “Input Select” properly (page 42).
	The microphone or external equipment is not connected correctly.	Check the connection (pages 104, 107 and 117).
Picture is blurred.	Manual focus is selected but picture remains blurred.	Adjust the focus (page 76).
	When auto focus is selected, the background is too bright, contrast is too high, or the background or the participants’ clothes contain fine line patterns.	Select manual focus and adjust manually (page 77).

Symptom	Cause	Solution
No picture.	The selected picture source is not tuned on.	Turn on the selected video equipment.
	Video input is not selected properly.	Select the video input with the VIDEO INPUT SELECT button (page 81).
	The selected picture source is not correctly connected to the System.	Check the connections (page 107).
	A voice meeting is held.	This is not a malfunction.
	Movement of the camera is prevented.	Turn off the Communication Terminal, then turn it on again.
No connection.	Wrong number was dialed.	Check the entered number.
	The setting of “Line I/F” is not correct.	Set “Line I/F” to correct interface referring to “Calling a Remote Party” (page 61).
	The registered items in the Phone Book are not correct.	Register the party correctly referring to “Registering a Remote Party – Phone Book” (page 52).

Symptom	Cause	Solution
No connection.	Some of the system settings are not correct.	Set the system settings correctly referring to "Registering Local Information" (page 36).
	The IP address and network mask are not set correctly (when using LAN).	Ask the system administrator to set them correctly (page 45).
	The LAN or ISDN cable is disconnected.	Connect correctly (pages 19, 20).
	The LAN or ISDN cable is connected to the incorrect connector.	Connect correctly (pages 19, 20).
	The LAN or ISDN cable is down.	Replace the cable with a new one.
	The cable exclusively designed for the ISDN connection is used for LAN connection (when using LAN).	Use the cable for LAN connection.
	Incorrect type of cable (cross or straight cable) is used for the LAN or ISDN connection.	Use the correct type of cable.
	The DSU is turned off.	Turn on the DSU.
	If you disconnect the communication with an abnormal procedure, e.g., unplugging an ISDN cable or turning off the system during communication, you may not connect to the ISDN line for a while (when using ISDN).	Turn off the power of the system and wait for a few minutes before turning it on again.
	If you repeat plugging/unplugging or turning on/off, you may not connect to the network for a while (when using LAN).	Turn off the power of the system and wait for a few minutes before turning it on again.
	LAN connection timeout (when using LAN).	Try again later.
	Packet for videoconferencing is not acceptable under the current LAN environment (when using LAN).	Consult with the system administrator so that the packet for videoconferencing becomes acceptable under your LAN environment.
	The remote terminal is not turned on.	Ask the remote party to turn on the terminal.
	It takes a long time for the remote party to be able to answer from the standby mode.	Ask the remote party to cancel the standby mode.
	The remote party is in communication with another party.	Call the remote party after they end the communication with another party.

Symptom	Cause	Solution
No connection.	Answering the call is not permitted by the remote terminal as it is operating for setups, etc.	Ask the remote party to permit answering a call.
	The remote terminal is not set to auto answer mode.	Ask the remote party to set the terminal to auto answer mode, or to answer a call manually.
	The ISDN telephone numbers are not set up in the remote terminal (when using bonding).	Ask the remote party to set up "Area Code" and "Local Number" in the ISDN Setup menu correctly (page 46).
	The eighth digit and up of the ISDN telephone numbers are not the same when connecting using bonding (when the remote party uses the videoconference system of an older model such as the PCS-1600).	Connect without using bonding, or use the ISDN telephone numbers that are the same in the eighth digit and up.
	There is some problem with the remote terminal.	Try to dial the number of another terminal.
	A message appears on the screen.	See "On Screen Messages" (page 161).
Still pictures or the Phone Book cannot be saved to the "Memory Stick."	The write-protect tab on the "Memory Stick" is set to LOCK.	Release the lock (page 91).
	The "Memory Stick" has already been recorded to full capacity.	Use another "Memory Stick."

Specifications

PCS-P1/P1P Communication Terminal

This unit is compliant with ITU-T Recommendations H.320 and H.323.

Motion picture

Operating bandwidth

	64 Kbps to 1920 Kbps (standard, LAN connection)
	56 Kbps to 768 Kbps (when installing the PCS-B768, ISDN connection)
Coding	H.261/H.263/H.263+/H.263++ (ITU-T Recommendation)
	MPEG4 Simple Profile (when using LAN)

Picture elements

CIF: 352 pixels × 288 lines
QCIF: 176 pixels × 144 lines

Color system

NTSC (PCS-P1)
PAL (PCS-P1P)
Capable of connection between both color systems

Still Picture

Pixels	704 pixels × 480 lines (PCS-P1) 704 pixels × 576 lines (PCS-P1P)
Encoding	H.261 (ITU-T Recommendation) Annex. D (4CIF) H.263 (special format of this system)

Sound

Bandwidth	14 kHz (MPEG4 Audio) 7 kHz (G.722/G.722.1 compliant with ITU-T Recommendation) 3.4 kHz (G.711/G.723.1/G.728/G.729 compliant with ITU-T Recommendation)
Transmission rate	56 Kbps, 64 Kbps (G.711 compliant with ITU-T Recommendation) 48 Kbps, 56 Kbps, 64 Kbps (G.722 compliant with ITU-T Recommendation) 64 Kbps, 96 Kbps (MPEG4 Audio) (when using LAN)

24 Kbps, 32 Kbps (G.722.1 compliant with ITU-T Recommendation) (when using LAN)
16 Kbps (G.728 compliant with ITU-T Recommendation)
8 Kbps (G.729 compliant with ITU-T Recommendation) (when using LAN)
5.3 Kbps, 6.3 Kbps (G.723.1 compliant with ITU-T Recommendation) (when using LAN)

Network

Multiplexing

Video, audio, data

Frame format

H.221 (compliant with ITU-T Recommendation)

Interface	LAN (standard), 64 Kbps to 1920 Kbps ISDN (BRI), up to 6 lines (when installing the PCS-B768)
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Data transmission rate

LSD 1.2 Kbps, 4.8 Kbps, 6.4 Kbps
MLP 6.4 Kbps, 24 Kbps, 32 Kbps
HMLP 62.4 Kbps, 64 Kbps, 128 Kbps

LAN protocol supported

HTTP
FTP
Telnet
RTP/RTCP
TCP/UDP

Remote control

Far end camera control

H.281 (compliant with ITU-T Recommendation)

Data transfer

T.120 (compliant with ITU-T Recommendation)

General

Power requirements

19.5 V

Power consumption

3.5 A

Operating temperature

5°C to 35°C (41°F to 94°F)

Operating humidity

20% to 80%

Storage temperature

-20°C to +60°C (-4°F to +140°F)

Storage humidity	20% to 80% (no condensation)
Dimensions	258 × 54 × 171 mm (w/h/d) (10 1/4 × 2 1/4 × 6 3/4 inches) (not including the projected parts)
Mass	Approx. 1.3 kg (2 lb 14 oz)
Supplied accessories	Remote Commander PCS-R1 (1) Size AA (R6) batteries for Remote Commander (2) IR repeater (2) Camera cable (0.25 m, 0.8 ft) (1) S-video connecting cable (1.5 m, 4.9 ft) (1) Audio connecting cable (1 m, 3.3 ft) (1) AC adaptor PCS-AC195 (1) Power cord (1) 21-pin adaptor (1) (PCS-P1P only) Velcro (3 for the Camera Unit, 2 for the Communication Terminal) CD-ROM (1) Operation guide (1) Warranty booklet (1)

PCS-C1/C1P Camera Unit

Video signal	NTSC color, EIA standards (PCS-C1) PAL color, CCIR standards (PCS-C1P)
Image device	1/4 type CCD (Charge Coupled Device) Approx. 410 000 pixels (Effective: approx. 380 000 pixels) (PCS-C1) Approx. 470 000 pixels (Effective: approx. 440 000 pixels) (PCS-C1P)
Lens	f = 3.1 to 31 mm, F 1.8 to 2.9, Horizontal angle 6.6° to 65°
Focal distance	100 (WIDE) to 600 (TELE) mm
Minimum illumination	3.5 lux at F 1.8/50 IRE
Illumination range	3.5 lux to 100 000 lux
Horizontal resolution	470 TV lines (PCS-C1) 450 TV lines (PCS-C1P)
Pan/tilt action	Horizontal ±100° Vertical ±25°

Dimension	147 × 130 × 138 mm (w/h/d) (5 7/8 × 5 1/8 × 5 1/2 inches) (not including the projected parts)
Mass	Approx. 1.1 kg (2 lb 7 oz)

Microphone

Frequency range	18 kHz
Directional characteristic	Narrow-angle directional

PCS-R1 Remote Commander

Signal format	Infrared SIRCS
Control	DC 3V using two size AA (R6) batteries
Dimensions	50 × 24 × 197 mm (w/h/d) (2 × 3 1/32 × 7 7/8 inches) (not including the projected parts)
Mass	Approx. 140 g (4 oz) (including batteries)

PCS-AC195 AC Adaptor

Power requirements	100 to 240V AC, 50/60 Hz, 1.3 A to 0.6 A
Output	19.5 V, 4.1A
Operating temperature	5°C to 35°C (41°F to 94°F)
Operating humidity	20% to 80%
Storage temperature	-20°C to +60°C (-4°F to +140°F)
Storage humidity	20% to 80% (no condensation)
Dimensions	63 × 31 × 140 mm (w/h/d) (2 1/2 × 1 1/4 × 5 5/8 inches)
Mass	Approx. 410 g (14 oz)

PCS-A1 Microphone (Optional)

Bandwidth	13 kHz
Directional characteristic	Omnidirectional
Dimensions	74 × 16 × 93 mm (w/h/d) (3 × 2 1/32 × 3 3/4 inches)
Mass	Approx. 170 g (6 oz)
Power	Plug in power

PCS-A300 Microphone (Optional)

Bandwidth	13 kHz
Directional characteristic	Unidirectional
Dimension	68 × 16 × 96 mm (w/h/d) (2 3/4 × 2 1/32 × 3 7/8 inches)
Mass	Approx. 200 g (7 oz)
Power	Plug in power

PCS-B768 ISDN Unit (Optional)

Power requirements	19.5 V
Power consumption	0.5 A
Operating temperature	5°C to 35°C (41°F to 94°F)
Operating humidity	20% to 80%
Storage temperature	-20°C to +60°C (-4°F to +140°F)
Storage humidity	20% to 80% (no condensation)
Dimensions	165 × 34 × 127 mm (w/h/d) (6 1/2 × 1 3/8 × 5 inches) (not including the projected parts)
Mass	Approx. 400 g (14 oz)
Supplied accessories	Interface cable (5 m, 16.4 ft) (1) Operating Instructions (1) Warranty booklet (1)

PCS-DSB1 Data Solution Box (Optional)

Power requirements	19.5 V
Power consumption	1.0 A
Operating temperature	5°C to 35°C (41°F to 94°F)
Operating humidity	20% to 80%
Storage temperature	-20°C to +60°C (-4°F to +140°F)
Storage humidity	20% to 80% (no condensation)
Dimensions	240 × 33 × 160 mm (w/h/d) (9 1/2 × 1 5/16 × 6 3/8 inches) (not including the projected parts)
Mass	Approx. 850 g (1 lb 14 oz)

Supplied accessories

Interface cable (8 m, 26.2 ft) (1)
Operating Instructions (1)
Warranty booklet (1)

PCS-320M1 H.320 MCU Software (Optional)

Dimensions	50 × 2.8 × 21.5 mm (w/h/d) (2 × 1/8 × 7/8 inches)
Mass	Approx. 4 g (0.1 oz)
Supplied accessories	
Serial Number seal (1)	
Operating Instructions (1)	

PCS-323M1 H.323 MCU Software (Optional)

Dimensions	50 × 2.8 × 21.5 mm (w/h/d) (2 × 1/8 × 7/8 inches)
Mass	Approx. 4 g (0.1 oz)
Supplied accessories	
Serial Number seal (1)	
Operating Instructions (1)	

Design and specifications are subject to change without notice.

Acceptable RGB Input/Output Signals

PCS-P1/P1P Communication Terminal (RGB OUT)

Picture element	Signal format	fH (kHz)	fV (Hz)	Dot clock (MHz)	Sync
1024 × 768	XGA VESA 60 Hz	48.363	60.004	65	H-neg V-neg

PCS-DSB1 Data Solution Box (RGB IN A/RGB IN B)

Picture element	Signal format	fH (kHz)	fV (Hz)	Dot clock (MHz)	Sync
640 × 480	VGA mode	31.469	59.94	25.17	H-neg V-neg
	Macintosh 13"	35	66.667	30.24	H-neg V-neg
	VGA VESA 72 Hz	37.861	72.809	31.5	H-neg V-neg
	VGA VESA 75 Hz	37.5	75	31.5	H-neg V-neg
	VGA VESA 85 Hz	43.269	85.008	36	H-neg V-neg
800 × 600	SVGA VESA 56 Hz	35.156	56.25	36	H-pos V-pos
	SVGA VESA 60 Hz	37.879	60.317	40	H-pos V-pos
	SVGA VESA 72 Hz	48.077	72.188	50	H-pos V-pos
	SVGA VESA 75 Hz	46.875	75	49.5	H-pos V-pos
	SVGA VESA 85 Hz	53.674	85.061	56.25	H-pos V-pos
1024 × 768	XGA VESA 60 Hz	48.363	60.004	65	H-neg V-neg
	XGA VESA 70 Hz	56.476	70.069	75	H-neg V-neg
	XGA VESA 75 Hz	60.023	75.029	78.75	H-pos V-pos



PCS-DSB1 Data Solution Box (RGB OUT)

Picture element	Signal format	fH (kHz)	fV (Hz)	Dot clock (MHz)	Sync
1024 × 768	XGA VESA 60 Hz	48.363	60.004	65	H-neg V-neg

- While the picture input from the RGB IN A or RGB IN B connector is transmitted, the picture of the input signal format (VGA, SVGA or XGA) is output from this connector.

Pin Assignment

100BASE-TX/10BASE-T jack



Modular jack

Pin	Signal	Description
1	TPOP	Transmit+
2	TPON	Transmit-
3	TPIP	Receive+
4	NC	—
5	NC	—
6	TPIN	Receive-
7	NC	—
8	NC	—

ISDN UNIT connector



14-pin connector

Pin	Signal	Description
1	GND	Ground
2	19.5V	19.5V
3	DCLK+	Clock+
4	DCLK-	Clock-
5	DR+	Receive data+
6	DR-	Receive data-
7	FS+	Frame sync+
8	FS-	Frame sync-
9	DX+	Transmit data+
10	DX-	Transmit data-
11	RX	Serial receive data
12	TX	Serial transmit data
13	19.5V	19.5V

Pin	Signal	Description
14	GND	Ground

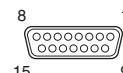
VIDEO OUT MONITOR MAIN/SUB, VIDEO IN AUX 1/AUX 2 connectors



Mini-DIN 4-pin connector

Pin	Signal	Description
1	GND	Analog Ground
2	GND	Analog Ground
3	Y	Brightness Signal
4	C	Chrominance Signal

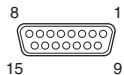
CAMERA UNIT connector



D-sub 15-pin connector (female)

Pin	Signal	Description
1	Y	Brightness signal
2	Y.GND	Brightness signal ground
3	C	Chrominance signal
4	C.GND	Chrominance signal ground
5	Video	Video signal
6	Video.GND	Video signal Ground
7	TXD	Transmit data
8	RXD	Receive data
9	19.5 V	19.5 V
10	MIC+	Microphone+
11	MIC-	Microphone-
12	SIRCS	Remote control data
13	DTR	Data terminal ready
14	STANDBY	Standby
15	GND	Ground

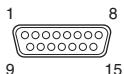
TERMINAL connector



D-sub 15-pin connector (female)

Pin	Signal	Description
1	Y	Brightness signal
2	Y.GND	Brightness signal ground
3	C	Chrominance signal
4	C.GND	Chrominance signal ground
5	Video	Video signal
6	Video.GND	Video signal Ground
7	RXD	Receive data
8	TXD	Transmit data
9	19.5 V	19.5 V
10	MIC+	Microphone+
11	MIC-	Microphone-
12	SIRCS	Remote control data
13	DTR	Data terminal ready
14	STANDBY	Standby
15	GND	Ground

DSB connector

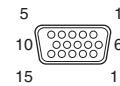


D-sub 15-pin (male)

Pin	Signal	Description
1	Video	Video signal
2	Video.GND	Video signal ground
3	LINE A+	Line audio+
4	LINE A-	Line audio-
5	MIC+	Microphone+
6	MIC-	Microphone-
7	TD+	Receive+
8	TD-	Receive-

Pin	Signal	Description
9	19.5V	19.5V
10	NC	—
11	AGND	Analog ground
12	NC	—
13	RD+	Transmit data+
14	RD-	Transmit data-
15	GND	Ground

RGB OUT connector



Mini D-sub 15-pin (female)

Pin	Signal	Description
1	RED	R (red)
2	GREEN	G (green)
3	BLUE	B (blue)
4	NC	—
5	GND	Ground
6	RED.GND	R (red) signal ground
7	GREEN.GND	G (green) signal ground
8	BLUE.GND	B (blue) signal ground
9	NC	—
10	SYNC.GND	Sync signal ground
11	NC	—
12	NC	—
13	H SYNC	Horizontal sync
14	V SYNC	Vertical sync
15	NC	—

Pin Assignment on Optional Board Connectors

ISDN 1-6 jacks (PCS-B768)



Modular jack

Pin	Signal	Description
1	NC	—
2	NC	—
3	TA	Transmit+
4	RA	Receive+
5	RB	Receive-
6	TB	Transmit-
7	NC	—
8	NC	—

TERMINAL connector (PCS-B768)

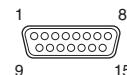


USB connector

Pin	Signal	Description
1	GND	Chassis ground
2	19.5V	19.5V
3	DCLK+	Clock+
4	DCLK-	Clock-
5	DR+	Transmit data+
6	DR-	Transmit data-
7	FS+	Frame sync+
8	FS-	Frame sync-
9	DX+	Receive data+
10	DX-	Receive data-
11	TX	Serial transmit data
12	RX	Serial receive data
13	19.5V	19.5V

Pin	Signal	Description
14	GND	Ground

TERMINAL connector (PCS-DSB1)



D-sub 15-pin connector (male)

Pin	Signal	Description
1	Video	Video signal
2	Video.GND	Video signal ground
3	LINE A+	Line audio+
4	LINE A-	Line audio-
5	MIC+	Microphone+
6	MIC-	Microphone-
7	RD+	Receive+
8	RD-	Receive-
9	19.5V	19.5V
10	NC	—
11	AGND	Analog ground
12	NC	—
13	TD+	Transmit data+
14	TD-	Transmit data-
15	GND	Ground

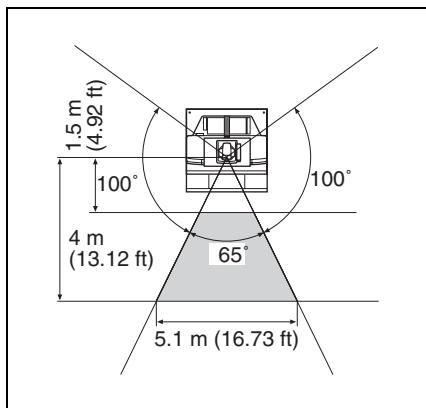
Videoconferencing Room Layout

Be sure to position camera and microphone appropriately in your videoconferencing room.

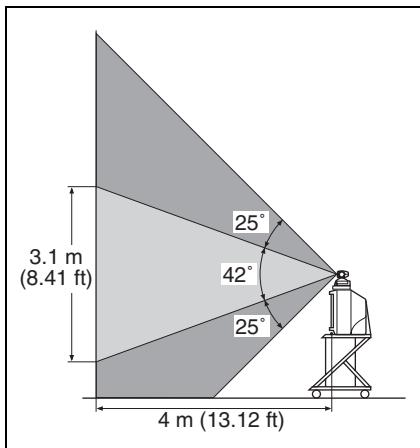
Camera Range

■ represents the shooting area of the camera when the zoom has been extended fully. ■ indicates the shooting area of the camera when the left/right angling function is fully utilized. Use the measurements below as a guide for the layout of your videoconference room.

Top view (horizontal range at maximum zoom-out)



Side view (vertical range at maximum zoom-out)

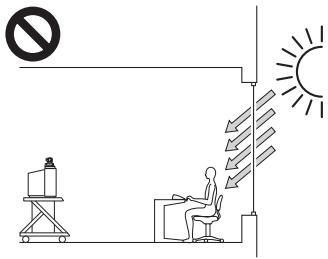


Layout Considerations

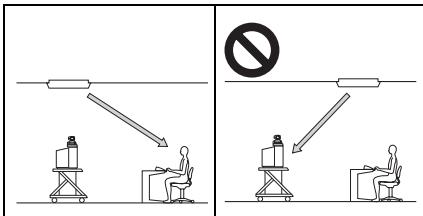
- Avoid having large, moving objects, especially people, behind the participants, as the quality of the picture transmitted to the remote party will deteriorate.
- Do not seat participants in front of a wall with fine stripe patterns.
- Choose a room where echo will not occur.
- Do not install the system near noise sources such as air conditioners or copy machines.
- Avoid placing the system in a room where there are the speakers used for an in-house broadcasting system.

Lighting Considerations

Do not point the camera toward a window where sunlight comes in as back lighting may decrease the contrast. If it is necessary, cover the window with a thick curtain.



Adjust room lighting so that it falls on the participants. Avoid direct light on the TV monitor. Light intensity on faces should be about 300 lux or more.

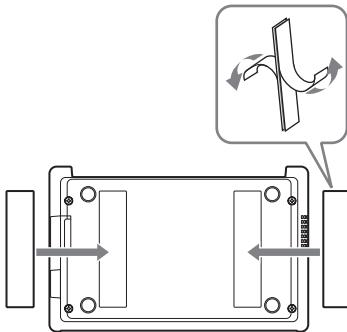


If an inverter type or brightness-adjustable type of fluorescent lamp is used, the sensitivity of the Remote Commander may deteriorate.

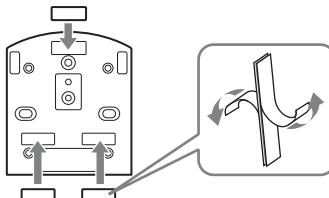
Installing the Communication Terminal and Camera

You can fix the Communication Terminal or the Camera to your chosen place of installation using the supplied Velcro.

- 1 Stick the supplied Velcro to the bottom of the Communication Terminal or Camera.



Bottom of the Communication Terminal



Bottom of the Camera Unit

- 2 Stick another piece of Velcro to the installation place.

- 3 Install the Communication Terminal or the Camera on the installation place by securing the two pieces of Velcro.

Glossary

BONDING*

BONDING is one of the Inverse Multiplexing methods allowing connection of the videoconferencing system using multiple ISDN lines. Dialing the first ISDN line only enables you to connect all other lines. Dialing the second and later lines is automatically done by the communication between the videoconferencing systems on both sites. To use BONDING, it is required that both videoconferencing systems are equipped with the BONDING function and that “Area Code” and “Local Number” in the ISDN Setup menu on the answering site are set correctly. As the communication between the systems when using the BONDING function is made via the ISDN numbers on the answering site, setting of “Area Code” and “Local Number” in the ISDN Setup menu is not essential on the dialing site.

* BONDING (Bandwidth on Demand Interoperability Group) is a registered trademark of THE BONDING CONSORTIUM.

BRI

An abbreviation for Basic Rate Interface. Basic interface standardized by the ITU-T. Single ISDN has two B channels and one D channel.

CIF

An abbreviation for Common Intermediate Format. This format allows communication between different color systems (NTSC and PAL).

352 pixels × 288 lines

Codec

An abbreviation for Coder-Decoder. An integrated device of a coder that converts an analog audio/video signal to a digital data stream and compresses it, and a decoder for expanding to restore the original analog signal.

DHCP

An abbreviation for Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol. Manages IP addresses in the network.

DNS

An abbreviation for Domain Name System. Defines the domain name system.

Echo Canceler

Device to eliminate echo that occurs when transmitting audio.

Frame rate

The number of frames which can be encoded/decoded in one second.

G.711

Audio encoding/decoding format recommended by the ITU-T. A phone bandwidth audio signal is converted to a digital signal with a data rate of 64 Kbps. It can be transmitted with a data rate of 56 Kbps.

G.722

Audio encoding/decoding format recommended by the ITU-T. A 7-kHz bandwidth audio signal is converted to a digital signal with a data rate of 48 Kbps, 56 Kbps or 64 Kbps.

G.722.1

Audio encoding/decoding format recommended by the ITU-T. A 7-kHz bandwidth audio signal is converted to a digital signal with a data rate of 24Kbps or 32 Kbps.

G.729

Audio encoding/decoding format recommended by the ITU-T. A phone bandwidth audio signal is converted to a digital signal with the data rate of 8 Kbps.

G.723.1

Audio encoding/decoding format recommended by the ITU-T. A phone bandwidth audio signal is converted to a digital signal with a data rate of 5.3 Kbps or 6.3 Kbps.

G.728

Audio encoding/decoding format recommended by the ITU-T. A phone bandwidth audio signal is converted to a digital signal with a data rate of 16 Kbps.

Gatekeeper

Controls the access of H.323 videoconference devices on a network. Administers the zone, access limitation, audio/video bandwidth, and alias etc.

H.221

Frame structure for a 64 to 1920 Kbps channel in audiovisual teleservices.

H.261

Video codec for audiovisual services as $p \times$ 64 Kbps. Videoconferencing standard that defines a video coding algorithm, picture format and error correcting technology for communication between different manufacturers' video codecs.

H.263

A video coding algorithm based on the H.261 standard. This format enables communication via a lower bit rate.

H.263+

Video encoding/decoding format based on the H.263 standard, added by the Annex I to T (I, J, K T), that allows enhanced picture quality and error resistance. Normally, this format is a profile used with a combination of some of the Annex for H.263/H.263+.

H.320

A videoconferencing standard for communication between different videoconferencing system.

H.323

This enables communications on the non-QOS (Quality of Service) LAN.

HMLP

See "MLP".

I-MUX

An abbreviation for Inverse Multiplexer. This protocol allows you to transmit the data at 384 Kbps via 6B-channel.

ISDN

An abbreviation for Integrated Services Digital Network. This is a communication protocol by CCITT on transmission of integrated voice, video, and data. Bandwidths include basic (64 Kbps) and primary rate (1.544 and 2.048 Mbps).

ITU-T

An abbreviation for International Telecommunication Union, Telecommunications.

Lip synchronization

A function that synchronizes sound with motion. Sound processing is much faster than motion processing, thus sound and motion sometimes get out of step with each other.

MCU

An abbreviation for Multipoint Control Unit. When connecting a MCU, a multipoint videoconference can be held.

MLP

Data communication is also available during communication of video/audio signals between the videoconferencing systems. The MLP or HMLP is a protocol for data communication such as NetMeeting. Using the HMLP protocol allows faster data transmission.

PBX

An abbreviation for Private Branch exchange.

P in P

An abbreviation for "Picture in Picture." This is a function which allows you to monitor your own party on a small window on your TV monitor.

QCIF

An abbreviation for Quater CIF. The number of pixels is a quarter than one of CIF format. 176 pixels \times 144 lines

Secondary terminal

Normally, a multipoint videoconference is not available unless the video and audio modes and transmission rate of the videoconferencing systems of all the sites are the same.^{*1} For a multipoint videoconference the terminal that can be connected in the same modes is called a primary terminal, while a secondary terminal is the terminal in which some of the functions are restricted since the connection is not enabled with the same modes. The restriction on the functions depends on the conditions described in “Notes on Secondary Terminals” under “Chapter 6 Multipoint Videoconference”.

For example, this system does not transmit video signals to a terminal that has no common formats but can communicate via audio signals. In this case, the terminal in which picture viewing is not available is regarded as a secondary terminal.^{*2} A terminal communicated via a normal phone included in the multipoint videoconference is also called a secondary terminal. For details on secondary terminals, see “Notes on Secondary Terminals” on page 149.

^{*1} Difference between the NTSC and PAL color systems is permitted.

^{*2} Receiving the video signals from this terminal may be available with the system.

SNMP

An abbreviation for Simple Network Management Protocol. This protocol is for management information between the management station and the managed terminals.

SPID

An abbreviation for Service Profile ID.

Sub-address

An identification number given to devices sharing a common ISDN line .

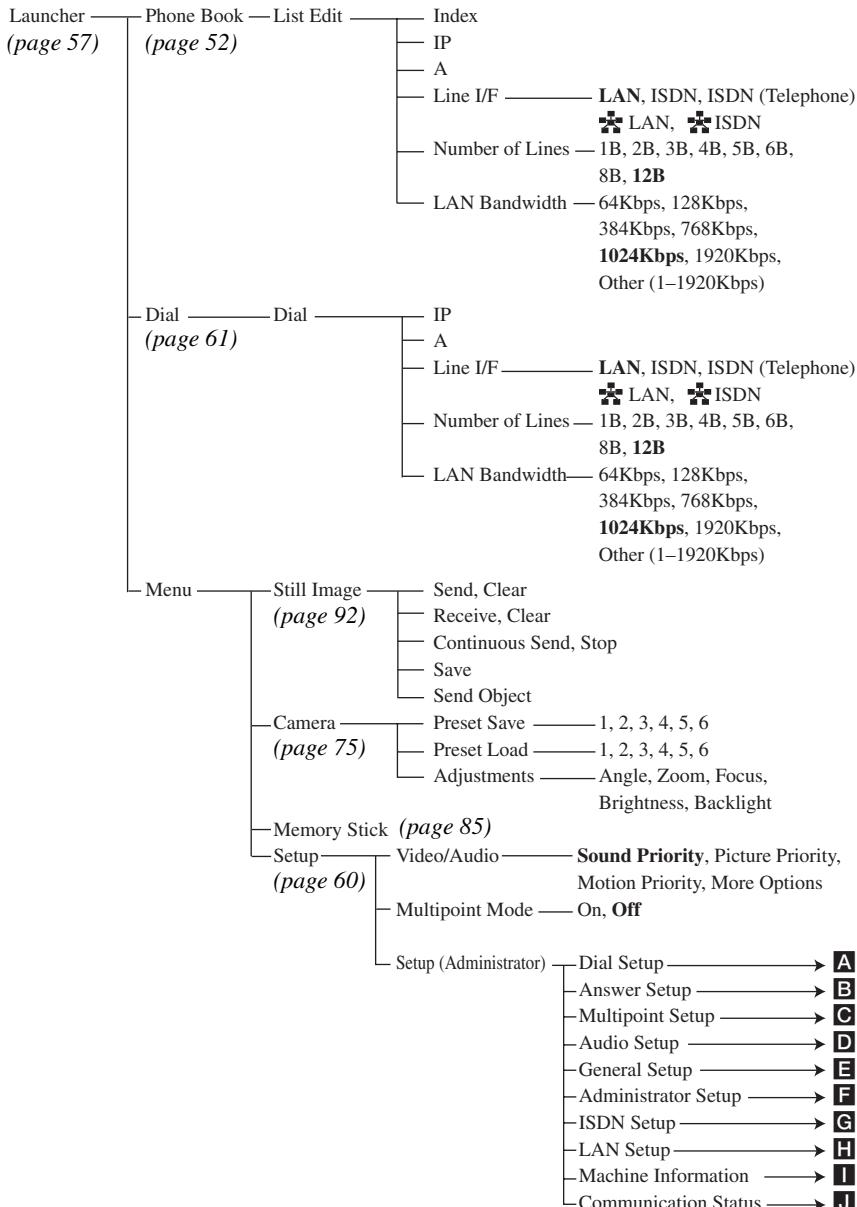
Terminal adaptor

A device used to connect various equipment to a digital line. The device sits between the equipment and the digital line and checks that signals are correctly sent or received.

Menu Configuration

The menus of the camera are configured as described below.

For detailed information, see pages in parentheses. The initial settings of each item are bolded.



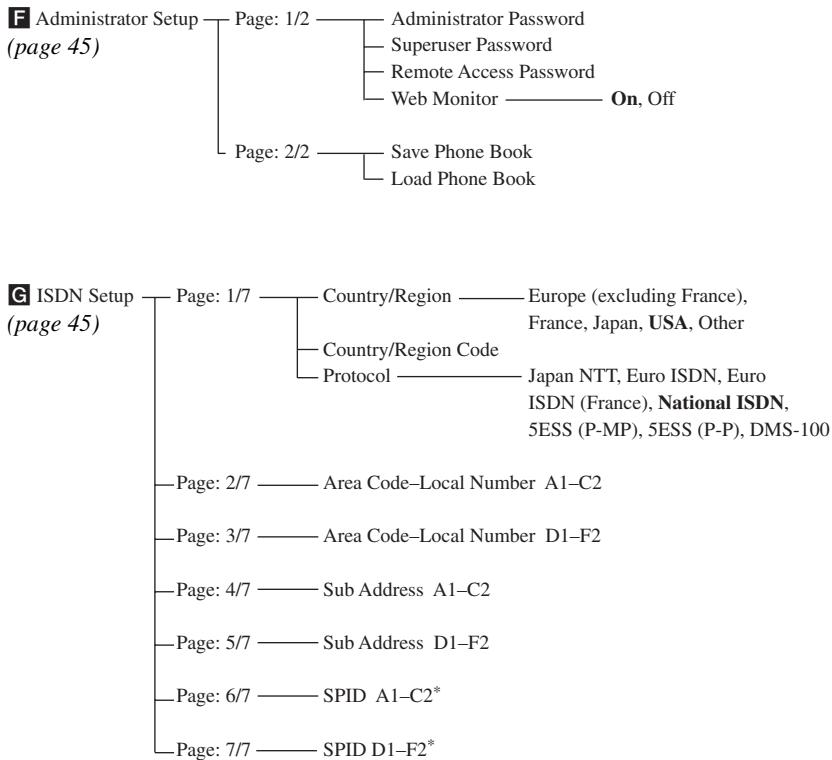
A Dial Setup (page 37)	Page: 1/4	Line I/F ————— LAN, ISDN, ISDN (Telephone) Bonding ————— Auto, On Number of Lines ————— 1B, 2B, 3B, 4B, 5B, 6B, 8B, 12B LAN Bandwidth———— 64Kbps, 128Kbps, 384Kbps, 768Kbps, 1024Kbps , 1920Kbps, Other (1–1920Kbps) Prefix ————— Prefix-None, Prefix-A, Prefix-B, Prefix-C Restrict ————— Auto, 56K
	Page: 2/4	Video Mode ————— ALL, MPEG4, H.263+, H.261 Video Frame ————— 15fps, 30fps Audio Mode ————— ALL, MPEG4 Audio, G.722.1, G.722, G.729, G.728, G.723.1, G.711 Far End Camera Control ————— On, Off T.120 Data ————— On, Off
	Page: 3/4	Prefix-A Prefix-B Prefix-C
	Page: 4/4	Telephone Mode ————— Auto, G.711μ-law, G.711A-law More Options Enable ————— On, Off User Name Input ————— On, Off

B Answer Setup (page 39)	Page: 1/2	Auto Answer ————— On, Off Number of Lines ————— 1B, 2B, 3B, 4B, 5B, 6B, 8B, 12B Restrict ————— Auto, 56K LAN Bandwidth———— 64Kbps, 128Kbps, 384Kbps, 768Kbps, 1024Kbps , 1920Kbps, Other (1–1920Kbps) ISDN MSN ————— On, Off
	Page: 2/2	Video Mode ————— ALL, MPEG4, H.263+, H.261 Video Frame ————— 15fps, 30fps Audio Mode ————— ALL, MPEG4 Audio, G.722.1, G.722, G.729, G.728, G.723.1, G.711 Far End Camera Control ————— On, Off T.120 Data ————— On, Off

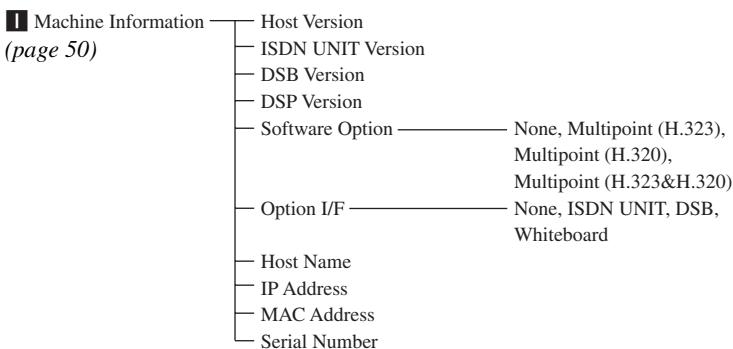
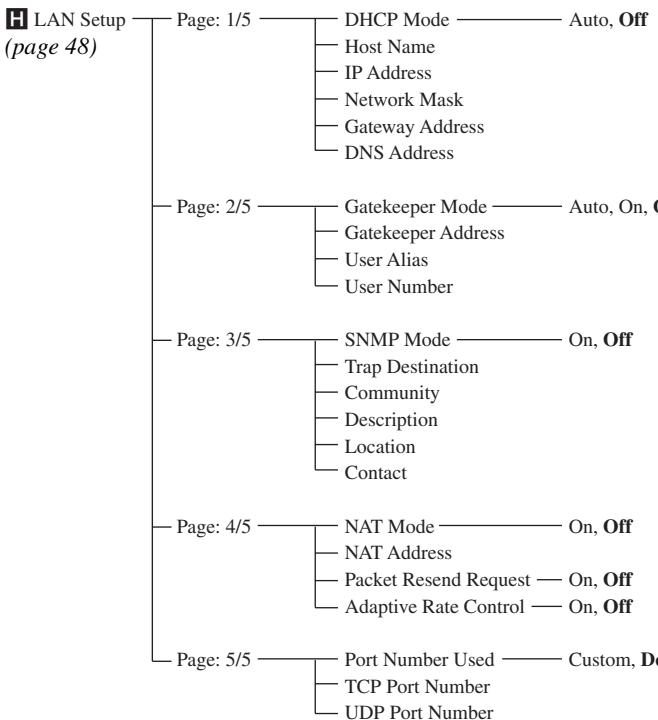
C Multipoint Setup (page 41)	Page: 1/2	Multipoint Mode ————— On, Off Broadcast Mode ————— Split, Voice Activate Number of Lines ————— 1B × 5, 2B × 5, 4B × 3, 6B × 2 LAN Bandwidth ————— 384Kbps, 768Kbps, 1024Kbps, 1920Kbps , Other (1–1920Kbps) Restrict ————— Auto, 56K
	Page: 2/2	Video Mode ————— ALL, H.263, H.261 Audio Mode ————— ALL, G.722, G.728, G.711 Display Terminal Name ————— On, Off Far End Camera Control ————— On, Off

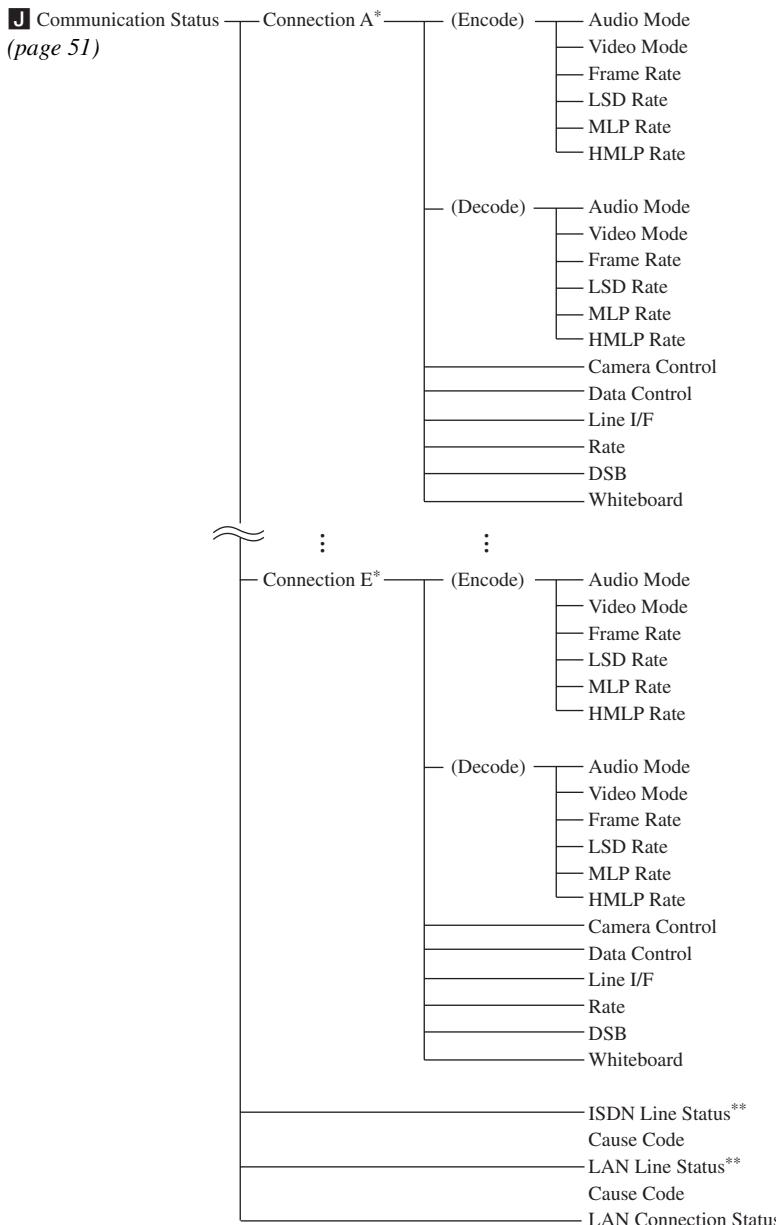
D Audio Setup (page 42)	Input Select ————— MIC, AUX, MIC + AUX
	Mic Select ————— Internal, External, DSB MIC, DSB AUX IN
	Lip Sync ————— On, Off
	Echo Canceler ————— Internal, External, Off
	Beed Sound ————— On, Off
	Recording Mute ————— On, Off

E General Setup (page 43)	Page: 1/3	Terminal Name Dual Monitor ————— On, Off Monitor Out/————— RGB OUT, RGB OUT (DSB), VIDEO OUT Sub Monitor Out Standby Mode ————— On, Off Standby Time ————— 1–99 minutes Time Display ————— On, Off
	Page: 2/3	Clock Set Last Number Registration ————— On, Off T.120 PC Address
	Page: 3/3	Language ————— English, French, German, Japanese, Spanish, Italian, Chinese IR Repeater Mode ————— MODE1, MODE2, MODE3, MODE4 Control by Far End ————— On, Off Memory Stick Format



* Displayed only when “USA” is selected in “Country/Region”.





* During a multipoint videoconference Connection A to E with the terminal name appear according to the points connected.

** While not in communication only these items are displayed.

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